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A METHOD OF TEACHING THE GREEK PARADIGM

IN A MORE SIMPLE AND FUNDAMENTAL MANNER

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The present translation originated in a sincere desire to excite and cherish, in the youth of our country, a thirst for more extensive investigation, in the subjects connected with the Greek Grammar and Literature. The author holds a distinguished rank in Germany, among those who have laboured so successfully, of late

years, to facilitate the study of the Greek language.

The original work was not designed by the Author to enter the lists with any Grammars in common use, and the same may be said of the translation. In Germany, the Original has been generally admitted into the Gymnasia, even where the Greek Grammar of the Author is not adopted for the purposes of elementary instruction. And if the Translation can succeed in extending the views of our students beyond the range of mere grammatical forms, and the modes of instruction to which they have been accustomed, and enable them to participate in the views and feelings of the scholars of a portion of Europe, so conspicuous for philological attainments, the translator will have reason greatly to rejoice, although the translation, as a translation, may not be approved.

The Translator confesses himself of the number who value highly the philological works of the Germans, and who earnestly desire to see them circulated in our country; to see the same spirit of laborious research and expansive inquiry infused into the bosoms of our youth; in order that we may avail ourselves of the advances made by others; of their experience, habits, thoughts, and feelings; and thus, be enabled to cope with them in future researches. Whether this be possible, under the present inauspicious frowns of the Government on our expanding literature, is a serious, and to every genuine student a painful question. But every one who wishes to mitigate in some degree the deserved reproaches, cast upon us by the monarchical nations of Europe, will eagerly embrace the least opportunity, to extend our views beyond the limits of our colleges, our cities, and even of our country itself.

The system developed in this work does not differ materially from that of Buttmann. Thiersch has pursued the analysis a step or two further, with what success every one must decide for him-

self.

The Edition of the Tables, that of 1813, to which I had access, literally swarmed with errors of the press. So far as time would permit I have endeavoured to eradicate them, and not to commit new ones in correcting the old. It has been thought expedient also to render the Homeric Paradigms more complete, by some additions, principally from the second edition of the Grammar of the Author. These additions being merely from another work of the Author, it was not thought necessary to specify them particularly.

The Original was printed in tables and in the folio form. The whole work is here reduced to a smaller size which renders it more convenient and less expensive. On the dialects, we have preferred the small but comprehensive treatise of Buttmann. Mathiæ's account is somewhat confused, and probably, in a historical point of view, incorrect. Many assertions of Thiersch, on this head, are perhaps too gratuitous. Buttmann is always chaste and

inductive.

As to the translation itself, much might be said, as usual, on the crowd of German technics, and the unwieldy and refractory German seutences, which almost refuse to receive the English dress. But I forbear. To those who are acquainted with the German, and especially the German of the prefaces to this work, nothing need be said: to those who are not, all that could be said would be in vain.

I close with the hope, that those who have more time and ability for such an employment, may endeavour by means of translations, to extend our acquaintance with the philological works of foreign nations, especially of Germany, and thus produce that universal literary excitement, which eventually must secure to us the highest literary privileges, as well as establish our national prosperity on the firmest basis.



PREFACE

TO THE EDITION OF 1808.

To be thoroughly grounded in the Greek Paradigm, it is not enough that the learner be able, immediately, or, at least, upon a little recollection, to analyse every form which presents itself, for example, $\lambda \epsilon \iota \iota g \vartheta \epsilon \iota \eta \sigma \omega v$, to tell immediately what it is, and that the root contains $\lambda \epsilon \iota \iota \tau$, $\lambda \epsilon \iota \iota \beta$, or $\lambda \epsilon \iota \iota g$. He must also be prepared, as in the Latin, without the labour of conjugating, to give, in its proper form, any mood. tense, and person of any verb at pleasure. Should the instructor, therefore, demand the 1. Aor. Mid. Opt. mood. 3 pers. Dual numb. of $\chi \varrho \iota \sigma \delta \omega$, he must be able promptly to answer $\chi \varrho \iota \sigma \omega \sigma \iota \sigma \delta \eta \nu$.

Owing to the endless complication of the Greek Paradigm, this attainment has been deemed impossible for the beginner; and so indeed it must be, if we consider the vast multitude of rules in our grammars, regarded as indispensable for the formation of as great a number of tenses. Every one, however, who will pursue the method here pointed out in explaining the forms and in using the paradigm, will find it, I think, not only possible, but, to the gratification of both teacher and learner, not even difficult. The paradigm must be reduced to its simple constituent parts, as is done in the following pages, and these parts united again under the inspection of the learner. Thus the different parts necessary for the formation of any mood, person, tense, &c. whatever, arrange themselves naturally in his memory; and while the question of the instructor suggests first the mood, then the tense, and finally the person, the learner forms them immediately in the same order. Let γουσωσαίσθην, for instance, be required. First of all, the teacher referring him to the 1. Aor. Mid. he forms this tense from the root and termination, εγουσωσάμην, according to the given rules. Secondly, the teacher referring him to the Optative mood, he rejects the mutable parts $\epsilon - \alpha \mu \eta \nu$ so that $\chi \varrho \nu \sigma \omega \sigma$ remains, and introduces the characteristic vowel of the mood,* (ai) e.g. $\chi \varrho \nu \sigma \omega \sigma \omega$. Finally, the teacher referring him to the 3 pers. Dual number, he knows that the Optative has, in this person, the termination peculiar to the Secondary tenses, \dagger which is so familiar to him that in the present case he immediately suggests $\sigma \vartheta \eta \nu$, and will give the completed form $\chi \varrho \nu \sigma \omega \sigma \omega l \sigma \vartheta \eta \nu$. Or let the Perf. Pass. of $\lambda \dot{\nu} \dot{\nu} \omega$ (ground-form $\lambda \dot{\nu} \lambda \dot{\nu} \dot{\nu} \dot{\nu}$) and Infin. mood (termination $\sigma \vartheta \omega \iota$ subjoined,) be required, and he answers, with little hesitation, $\lambda \dot{\nu} \lambda \dot{\nu} \gamma \sigma \vartheta \omega = \lambda \dot{\nu} \dot{\nu} \dot{\nu} \omega$ (§ 5. 3. and § 3. Note 1.)

Experience has taught the author that after the explanation of the paradigm, but little additional practice was necessary, in order to acquire suitable facility; for such is the consistency and well grounded regularity of the Greek paradigm, that the beginner will very soon find himself at home. It is evident, however, that in order to obtain our end, besides the analysis of the paradigm into its constituent parts, we must endeavour to simplify the various doctrines and rules concerning augments, shortening long syllables, &c .- especially concerning the formation of the tenses. How can we expect the beginner to give a person of some remote tense, for example the 3 pers Plur, numb. Aor. 1. Pass. Indicat. mood of neldw, if he is forced from the present into the 1Fut. Act., thence into the Perf. Act., thence into the Perf. Pass., then into the 3 pers. Sing, of the same, and thus finally arrives at the Aor. I Pass.? The old deduction-theory which has been already in part abandoned by others, is here entirely rejected, and the tenses in general derived immediately from the Præs., or rather, together

^{• (}Moduspecal) Our language rather revolts at the unbounded liberty in the composition of words which the German crypys. But the translator feels himself constrained to adopt, hereafter, for the sake of brevity, on the frequent recurrence of this phrase (Moduspecal,) the literal but apposite expression Mood-rouel, Vid. 4 15.

t (Nebentempora) By Primary and Secondary tenses, used throughout this work to denote the Haupttempora and Nebentempora of the original, is meant no more than this, that, in respect to the form, (der form nach.) the primary tenses (Press. Fut. Perf.) have each connected with them a secondary tense (Imperf. Aor. Plus ppf.) called by Buttmann historical tenses, (historische tempora) Ausfuhrliche Gramm. + 81. (Tr.)

with the Præs., from the common root. Any doubts on this head will, it is hoped, be entirely dissipated by a nearer examination of the paradigm.

If we now demand of the learner thus initiated, the above mentioned Aor. 1. Pass. Ind. Mood, Plur. numb. 3 pers. he will immediately to its ground-form $\varepsilon n \varepsilon \iota \vartheta$ annex the personal termination $\vartheta \eta \sigma \alpha \nu$; but, being accustomed to change τ before another τ into σ , (§ 4. 5. Note 2.) he will suggest without hesitation, $\varepsilon n \varepsilon \iota \sigma \vartheta \eta \sigma \alpha \nu$.

This may serve to explain the mode of proceeding in questioning the learner concerning the tenses. The advantage however of this method in recognizing and developing the forms which occur in reading, as well as in promoting a rapid progress and a generous freedom in the language, is very evident. Whoever will acquaint himself with the forms by mere effort of memory, never obtains a sure possession of them. Rigid method, so requisite in most cases, is here in a special manner necessary, and only what we learn methodically can take root and thrive. The committing the paradigm to memory, which is still necessary for acquiring facility in the use of the forms, proceeds with greater ease and accuracy if the whole is grounded on a system of derivation or formation which presents itself at every step. The arrangement of the whole, however, (which in the introductory part must descend to a consideration of even the letters or elementary parts of words,) is worthy of investigation-perhaps of regard by those who are employed in the business of instruction. The author trusts that he may be indulged in making such a suggestion, if, without neglecting the most recent investigations of Grammarians, he has been fortunate enough to simplify the doctrine of Greek forms, and bring it out of its former confused state, but still without adopting the arbitrary principles of Lennep and others,

PREFACE

TO THE EDITION OF 1809.

The paradigm has met with a more favourable reception than I had ventured to anticipate. When that which is sanctioned by custom is attacked, although without noise or arrogance, the opposition of those is awakened who are unable or unwilling to comprehend what is new. What is old and customary is become, from long use, both familiar and dear to them. In giving shape, however, to a mass hitherto only partially reduced to order, many circumstances were necessarily arranged otherwise than in the common method. Hence a number might easily fail of the desired success, and thus afford occasion to the captious of expressing their chagrin.

Contrary to my expectations the method here proposed was placed, by the Gottingen Gelehrte Anzeigen No. 45. 1808, unmolested, by the side of earlier attempts, and the issue awaited. By the New Leipsic Literatur Zeitung No. 117. 1808, it was received as to its distinguishing features, and the old deduction-theory rejected. By the Jena Allgemeine Lit. Zeit. No. 192. 1808, it was received without any limitation or modification, "because thereby life is restored to a mass heretofore dead, and the rich design manifest in this systematic language is clearly demonstrated, which, for a long time, has been regarded as the spiritless work of caprice or chance." In consequence of this the paradigm came into frequent use, and was introduced into many of the more respectable Gymnasia; nor has any one yet been found, who has not, from his own experience, realized their utility.

This new edition, which appears nine months after the first, will shew that I have paid a due regard to the objections advanced by others, and have adopted their proposed improvements; at the same time, that I have been fully sensible how imperfect the

former edition was. The present edition is enriched principally by the addition of the Homeric paradigm, which the study of Homer renders so desirable. To our friend Mr. Assessor D. Dissen, we are indebted for the careful enumeration of the Homeric forms, who instituted a thorough examination of Homer, in order that nothing of importance might escape us. The last tables, exclusively the result of his labours, will prove, no doubt, to the young friends of Homer an acceptable present.

It was not till lately that an attack was made upon this method by one, whose opposing voice, I had, from the commencement, expected to hear. In the Jena Allgem. Lit. Zeit. No. 4. of this year, appeared an article, "some strictures on Thiersch's paradigm of the Greek verb by F-G." written with much warmth. The remarks of the author, who has never made a trial of the method, and, nevertheless, threatens to overturn it as prejudicial to the cause of instruction, concern, for the most part, mere trifles, which might be altered by a single stroke of the pen if really necessary. Besides, these cavils expose, not only the animosity, but the ignorance also, of the author. He threatens to subvert the method in one of its principal parts, by objecting, to the derivation of every tense from the root, the form τετύφαται for τετυμμένοι είσί, and thus wishes to deduce the original epic form from the much vounger aspirated Perf. Act.—On this point, however, the derivation of the tenses, it is necessary to be more explicit, that I may avoid, for the future, the imputation of a desire of change and a fondness for arbitrary arrangement.

In the oldest Grammarians traces are found of that method, according to which, the tenses are formed in such a manner, that one is always made the foundation of another; e. g. from $\mathring{e}\delta\mathring{o}\theta\eta\nu$ is formed $\delta o\vartheta\mathring{\eta}\sigma o\mu\alpha\iota$, from $\mathring{e}\varsigma\epsilon\iota\lambda\alpha$, $\mathring{e}\varsigma\epsilon\iota\lambda\acute{a}\mu\eta\nu$, &c. The opinion was finally adopted, that, in order to arrive at any form after the Pres., we must pass through another form to which it seemed to bear some analogy. But we find it no where asserted, that this system of derivation is not equally valid and useful when the order is inverted, and $\mathring{e}\partial\mathring{o}\vartheta\eta\nu$ formed from $\partial o\vartheta\mathring{\eta}\sigma\sigma\mu\alpha\iota$, or $\mathring{e}\tau\iota\nu\psi\alpha$ from $\tau\mathring{e}\tau\nu\varphi\alpha\iota$. Thus the author of the Halle Grammar, to whom most of us are indebted for our elementary instruction, thinks he has simplified the business, when he advises us to derive all the tenses of the Pass. from the corresponding tenses of the Act. At least, it is not

a more capricious mode of proceeding, to change, for the Fut. Pass. ψω into qθησομαι, ξω into χθησομαι, and for the Aor. ψα into qθην, ξα into χθην, than, according to the common method, to convert qα into μμαι, γα into γμαι, and κα sometimes into μμαι and sometimes into σμαι, in order to obtain the Perf. Pass.; or, in order to arrive at the Aor. I. Pass. of στοέφω, to lead us through ἔστρεψα, ἔστρεψα, ἔστραμμαι, ἔστραπαι, ἐστράπ-θην. When any method is so arbitrary, we may be assured that it has wandered far from the way which the language has pursued in its formation.

First of all, we cannot mistake the analogous formation of those tenses which are classed together in the paradigm as primary and secondary tenses, riviga ετειναειν, τυαθησομαι ενύαθην, τύψω ετινα. &c. Should this already appear capricious, to receive a doubtful Ful αχύσω, in order to obtain ἤχυσα, still it is a matter of indifference, in itself considered, whether we form τυαθήσομαι from ετίναθην, or ετίναθην from τυαθήσομαι, were it not necessary to render this mode of proceeding subservient to a more important end. Of this however more hereafter. What now concerns us is, to strike at the root of the old deduction-theory, which renders even the primary tenses dependent on other forms, e.g. τέτναα on ετίναι, τέτναμαι οι τέτναα, τυαθήσομαι through ετίναθην οι τέτνατα. Let us commence with the Perf. which Grammartans have begun to regard as a finished or perfect present.* (Prasens perfectum, τέτναα, I have struck—just now.)

For the unfinished or imperfect present. (Prosens imperfectum.) certain terminations were invented, Plur.— $\mu\epsilon r - r\epsilon - r\tau\sigma\iota$, and were subjoined to the root,—

| q à | giuer | qire | (qàrrai) | qual |
|-------|----------|-------|-----------|--------|
| pa | Byeev | Buie | (Berese) | Buni |
| 7 his | 1 haus v | zkaze | (ilinioi) | 1 haoi |

To denote that the present was past or finished (Pres. perf.) the reduplication was introduced into the three radical languages, (βεβαμεν, gegangen, cecidi,) and thus originated the ground-forms of the Perf. which have been preserved entire, in the epic lan-

^{*} Compare Hermann do emend, rat. Grac. Gramm. p. 186. Matthia ausf. Gramm. p. 683, and the ingenious dissertation "de Temporibus et Modis verbi Grace" by Ludolp Georg. Dissen, p. 5, seq. From this dissertation are burrowed the names of the tenses which are here employed.

guage. Single persons, the 3d for instance, have found their way into all the dialects.—

τετλάμεν τετλάτε (τετλάντσι) τετλάσο βεβάμεν βεβάτε (βεβάντσι) βεβάσο έςάμεν έςάτε (έςάντσι) έςώσο

According to the same analogy

Imperf. (Præteritum imperfectum,) έβἄμεν, έβἄτε, έβᾶσαν, έτλαμεν, έτλατε, έτλασαν.

Plusqpf. ($\xi \beta \varepsilon \beta \tilde{\alpha} \mu \varepsilon \nu$, $\xi \beta \varepsilon \beta \tilde{\alpha} \tau \varepsilon$, $\xi \beta \varepsilon \beta \tilde{\alpha} \sigma \omega \nu$,) $\varepsilon \tau \varepsilon \tau \lambda \tilde{\alpha} \mu \varepsilon \nu$, $\varepsilon \tau \varepsilon \tau \lambda \tilde{\alpha} \tau \omega \nu$, the former with an Aor. signification.

Such forms as ἐβέβαμεν were forbidden by the metre of the epic language, while ἐτέτλαμεν and βέβασαν were admitted and retained. It seems inconsistent with the progressive formation of the language, and therefore arbitrary, to derive, as is done in the Grammars, τέτλαμεν, τέτλατε, τετλᾶσι, by an unnecessary syncope, from τετλὖαμεν, τετλᾶστε, and these forms again, by syncope, from τετλὖαμεν, &c. thus regarding the fullest form as the original one.

The first short a in the 3 pers. Plur. as βεβάδοι, μεμάδοι, γεγάδοι, is not derived from any syncopated form, but depends upon
the same rule in the epic language, which permits δορός to be
lengthened into ὀράφς. II. 7. 448. ἀσχαλά into ἀσχαλάφ. II. 2. 293.
μνῶσθαι into μνάασθαι. Od. 1. 39. or αἰτιῶτο into αἰτιόωτο. II.
11. 653.

Add to this, that for the Sing., $-\alpha - \alpha \varsigma - \epsilon$ (from $\epsilon \alpha - \epsilon \alpha \varsigma - \epsilon$ the original Perf. of $\epsilon i \mu i$) were adopted, and we have the original conjugation of the Perf. Act. This has been retained in $\delta i \omega$, $\delta \epsilon i \omega$, $\delta \epsilon i \delta \omega$ (root δi .) the verse and a regard for euphony, however, generally requiring the ϵ in $\delta \epsilon \delta i \alpha$ to be lengthened into $\delta \epsilon i \delta i \alpha$, as in $\delta \epsilon i \delta \epsilon \epsilon \gamma \alpha \alpha i$. Od. 7. 72.

Sing. 1. δείδι Il. 13. 481. α 2. δείδι Od. 18, 79, 3. δείδι II. 18. 34. 3 Il. 9. 230. Plur. 1. δείδι 2. δείδι II. 20. 366. as Imper.

2. $\delta \epsilon \delta \delta t = \tau \epsilon$ II. 20. 366. as imper. 3. $\delta \epsilon \delta t = \alpha \epsilon \epsilon$ III. 24. 663. for $\delta \epsilon \delta \epsilon \nu$

 $\tau \epsilon \iota$ with the lonic α for ι . Here ϵ remains in its simple form because the verse permits it. To this original conjugation of the Perf. (which in the Dual and Plur. is deficient in all the mood-

vowels, and for this reason follows the analogy of the conjugation in μι,) belong such forms of the Imper. as χέχλυθι, τέτλαθι, τέθναθι, δείδιθι;—of the Opt. as τεθναίην, τετλαίην, &c. (both their signification and the 3. pers. Plur. Ind. τεθναία which belongs to this class, forbid us to regard them as Aorists with the reduplication:)—of the Infin. as τεθνάμειαι, τεθνάμει, τεθνάμειαι, τετλάναι; —of the Participles, as δεδιώς, δειδιότες, μεμαώς;—as well as some single persons, such as Plusqpf. ἐπέπιθμεν, alsο ἴδμεν, εἰλήλουθμεν. All these are forms in which the terminations merely are annexed to the root, increased by the reduplication. They cannot be explained by the abbreviation of the full form, e. g. τέθναθε shortened from τέθνημε, τεθναίην from τεθνήκοιμε, at least not without the most violent and unnatural changes, e. g. δέδιμεν, by rejecting οι, κ, α, from δεδοίκαμεν.

It must already appear evident that in the formation of the Perf., the language has pursued its own free course, without rendering this tense dependent on the first Aorist. And why, indeed, in order to arrive at the original forms redvauev, deideuev, should we invent unheard of Aorists, Edvyou, Ediou (Homer has, it is true, Eddergas, Edderge, Eddergare, Eddergar; nothing however from Ediga, still less from Edvnou, which he and all the Greeks would have found intolerable by the side of Educor)-why, I say, should we invent these strange Aorists, and proceed from these to unknown Perfects, such as dedixa, and from these (e.g. from deidixaner.) remove the zu which never existed, in order to arrive at the original and independent form deidiner? This last form, however, (deticient in the Mood-vowel,) altogether unconcerned about this forundable bulwark of etymology, is formed independently of any other tense, from the ground-form of the tense and the termination. If this mode of proceeding is unphilological in the case of deidener, dedicie, it is equally so in the case of redrauer, nenaws, and others, for the formation is same. Beyond this, the language of Homer made but few advances in the further formation of the Perfect.

The a retained from the old Perf. εα, became the characteristic vowel of the Perf., (πειθ) πεποίθαμεν, πεποίθατε, (πληγ) πεπλήγμμεν, (μειγ) πεμεύγαμεν. It is evident that this form of the second Perf., as it is called, is derived from the Fut. 2. no more than δείδια from εδεισα and δείδικα. In the verba pura a x was

introduced, to avoid the collision of vowels, as in οὐκέτι, μηκέτι. Τhe final vowel of the root was now doubled before this κ, according to the general rule, βεβά-ασι, βεβακασι, βεβήκασι. In many verbs both forms are found, side by side, in different persons, τέθνηκε ποι τέθναε, τεθνάσι ποι τεθνήκασι; also βεβάασι, βέβαμεν, βεβαώς; and βέβηκας, βέβηκε; Plusqpi. βεβήκει.

These are the steps by which the epic language proceeded in the independent formation of the Perf. viz. the invention of the reduplication, τέτλαμεν; the introduction of the Mood-vowel α, πεαεύγαμεν, and of the x in the verba pura, τέθναα τέθνηκα, τέθναε τέθνηκε, &c. The remaining peculiarities of this tense have been subsequently introduced. One of these is, the introduction of the z in the verba liquida, and in a portion of the verba muta. Such forms as πέφαγκα, ἔσπαρκα, &c. are unknown in the epic language, much more so the attic forms, in which the x suppresses the τ sound, e.g. πείθω πεπειθ-κα πέπεικα. The δέδοικα therefore of Homer is not to be derived from δείδω, but from the intermediate form δείω. As little claim to originality has the other form of the Perf. with the aspirated π and κ, e.g. τέτυφα, πέπλεγα. The aspirate was retained, it is true, where it was found in the root, as in τετευγώς, Od. 12. 423. from the root τευγ; so in τέτοηγα (root τρηγ.) τέτροφα (root τρεφ.) βέβρυγα (root βρυγ.) But an aspirate in the Perf., assumed independently of the root, is utterly unknown in Homer. A multitude of perfects are found such as κέκοπα, τέτριγα, πέπληγα, σέσηπα, πέφρικα, πέφευγα, &c. which afforded an opportunity for such an aspirate, but no where is any trace of such a form as τέτυσα for τέτυπα; a satisfactory proof, that those aspirated Perfects were first introduced during the subsequent progress of the language. The first traces of them are met with in Herodotus. We have, then, five steps by which the language has proceeded gradually in the formation of this tense. The forms δείδιμεν, πεποίθαμεν, βεβήμαμεν, τετύφαμεν, πεπείκαμεν, may serve to indicate these steps. Those, however, who derive the 3d, 4th, and 5th of these forms, from the Aor, 1., and the 2d from the Fut. 2., and, for the 1st, avail themselves of syncope, will do well to reflect, whether they are not pursuing a course, directly contrary to that which analogy points out in the formation of language.

Having ascertained the formation of the Perf, to be independ-

ent of the other tenses, and the primary tenses of the Act. standing thus on their own foundation, it will not be difficult to prove the same in respect to the primary tenses of the Pass. It has been usual to derive the Perf. Pass, from the Perf. Act., the Aor. 1. Pass, from the Aor. 1.

The reduplication, which is common to the Perf. Act. and Pass., can formsh no satisfactory evidence that the one is derived from the other. For admitting that this sign was invented to denote the completion of a portion of time, we should naturally expect to find it wherever this idea prevails. In conformity with its original use, we meet with it to denote a completed future, rewould rerewonat. With regard to the Perf. Act. and Pass., the radical vowels are not unfrequently altogether different; e.g. Perf. Act. rérevya, Pass. rérequat; Perf. Act. rérouga, Pass. réroquau; néndoya, κέκλευμαι; έστειγα, έστιγμαι; βέβηκα, βέβαμαι; ένήνογα, ένήrequest. Ald to this, that frequently the Perfects Act., from which the Perfects Pass, are derived, are arbitrarily assumed, e. g. πέτυκα (from πεύθω) in order to form πέπυσααι; ήίγα (from ELEU) to form "iguid; and we are constrained to acknowledge that the Perf. Pass, like the Perf. Act., is not dependent on any other tense for its formation. This assertion receives the fullest confirmation from the circumstance, that even in Homer we find this aspirated form in the Perf. Pass., which, in the Act, we meet with first in Herodotus; e. g. Entrergugarat from Entroena, Il. 2. 25, of Luoi Tenererougaras and roosa neugle; and II. 11. 26, avareor de douxories ogwyegaro noord deroge. It is, we presume, sufficiently apparent, that such forms are not derived from the much younger aspirated Perl. Act., but, together with this, immedutely from the root; e.g. roun, (round is found in Herodotus,) reroutviat, retourarat, rerougarat.

Who, then, would not delight to follow the course of the language itself, which, from the root κορυθ (comp. κόρις κόριθ-ος) forms κεκορυθμένος, from μορυχ in μορύσσω, (comp. μόρυχος) μεμορυχμένος, from αραθ, περραθμένος: καθ, κεκαθμένος: λέγγμαι; αλέγμαι; αλέγμαι, κε.? or, as is usual, changes the τ sound into σ. as in ίδμεν, later form ίσμεν; and thus from πειθ produces πέπεισμαι; from λαθ, λέλαθμαι; πιθ, πέμυσμαι; κε.? Some one may still prefer to pursue this κεκόρυθμαι through

Every person of discernment must recognise the merits of our present Grammarians, and pay them the homage which is due. Had they, however, thought sufficiently for themselves, they would not have regarded that as sacred, which has not yet been banished from the more unskilful labours of their older brethren. Pride or weakness alone can delight in charging with presumption and rashness, one who is endeavouring to extirpate some of the old thorns and briars from a field, which still is not susceptible of cultivation enough, to produce the desired fruit. Besides, in all this, we have not considered what possible sense there can be in saying, that qα is changed into μμαι, κα into μαι and sometimes into σμαι. From φα we cannot form unar, or from na, uar; still less onar. Is nothing more intended however than this, that nut is annexed to the root in place of za, then why not represent the matter as it really is, that we may understand the nature of the formation, viz. that this man, the termination of the primary tenses, is subjoined to the root, in the Præs, with the mood-vowel, and in the Perf. without a mood-vowel? φεύγ-ο-μαι, πέφευγ-μαι.

We proceed now to the derivation of the Aor. 1. Pass. from the 3 pers. Sing. of the Perf., the most unintelligible of all. Buttman has already abandoned it. Had this tense been derived from the 3 pers. Dual Plusqpi. $\ell \tau \epsilon \tau \psi \sigma \partial \eta \nu$, it would have been, to say the least, very convenient; for, by dropping $\epsilon \tau$, we obtain the desired form. But what contrivances are necessary to arrive at $\tau \epsilon \tau \eta \alpha \pi \tau \omega$ from $\tau \rho \epsilon \tau \omega$! And what form have we then obtained analogous to that of the Aor.? By all these contrivances, we obtain $\tau \epsilon \tau \tau \rho \alpha \tau \pi \tau \tau \omega$, which, piece by piece, must be moulded into

the new form ε-τρε-q-θην. In both these forms of the Perf., viz. Act. and Pass., the same analogy frequently obtains, (πέμαται, έμανθηνη) for which a sufficient reason can be given. But this analogy is by no means universal; e.g. κέκριται has ἐκρίθην and also ἐκρίνθην; κέκλιμαι, ἐκλίθην and ἐκλίνθην; πέπανται, ἐπανσθην, μέματριαι, ἐμανβοθην, κέκρηται, ἐχρήτοθην. Such Aor. forms as these, much more however εὐρίθην usually derived from ευθητιαι, ἐπρικθην from ἔπριγται, ἡρέθην from ἤρηται, and especially, ἐφρέθην from εἰψηται, demonstrate fully the independent formation of this Pass, tense also. Its internal structure will make this still more obvious. Compare

| Eriy Dyv | rvy Oriny | rug Deis |
|----------|-----------|-----------|
| Edyv | Veinv | Deis with |
| Edur | Soine | dois |
| έστην | σταίην | ตาน่ร |

and we see most clearly, that the ground-form of the tense, in εεινήθην, as also in ενηθήσομαι, is not concealed in εέενπται, the 3 pers. Sing. of a different tense, but that it is ενηθε; e.g. πλεχθήσομαι, ground-form πλεχθε; qιληθήσομαι, qιληθε.

Admitting that the future signification was already denoted by the intervention of a σ, πλεχ-ο-μαι, πλεχ-σο-μαι, πλέξομαι, the intermediate member θε was then introduced, between the σ and the root, by one of those arrangements, so frequent in the Greek, which give birth to so many ground-forms; e.g. πλέχομαι, πλεχ-σομαι, πλεχ-σε-σομαι, πλεχ-θέσομαι. Αt the same time, from the root thus lengthened πλεχ, πλεχθε, πλεχθε; τυπ, τυπθε, τυμθε, an λοι, was formed without the characteristic vowel, (§ 38,) ἐπλέχθην, ἐτάμθην. The same may be said of τυπήσομαι, ground-form τυτε. Thus the steps by which all the forms were gradually obtained are obvious.

- τυπ. gave birth to έτυπον έτυπόμην, τέτυπα έτετύπειν. (later forms τέτυφα, έτετύφειν.) τε-τυπ-μαι, τέτυμμαι έτετύμην.
- 2. tent. ten strengthened by t, tento etentor, tentomus tentomer.
- 3. τυπε. τη τ with ε, έτύπην, τυπέω τοπέφμα.
- 1. τυψ. το τ with σ, τυψω έτυψα, τύψομαι ευψτάμην τετύψομαι.
- 5. Trans. Time with o, transount.

6. τυφθε. τυπε with θ before ε, ετύφθην.

7. $\tau v q \vartheta \eta \sigma$. $\tau v \pi \eta \sigma$ with ϑ before ε , $\tau v q \vartheta \eta \sigma \sigma \mu \alpha \iota$.

We may regard it, therefore, as established, that the old deduction-theory is untenable as to its fundamental principles; that the resemblance between the forms can be explained only by tracing them to one common root; and, consequently, that other considertions must decide concerning the formation of the tenses.

At the very first view, a diversity of ground-forms present themselves for this purpose; e.g. $\tau\nu\pi$, $\tau\nu\pi\varepsilon$, $\tau\nu\eta\tau$, &c. We need only subjoin certain terminations to these ground-forms, e.g. $\tau\nu\pi\omega$, $\tau\nu\pi\varepsilon\omega$, $\tau\nu\eta\tau$, &c. and we find ourselves unexpectedly ushered into the fanciful theory of Hemsterhuys, Valkenaer, and Lennep, who have, unfortunately, obscured what was true and useful in their principles, by an unskilful and arbitrary application of them.

A little more reflection, however, will convince us, that the forms, collectively, rest upon a twofold root; e.g. $\hat{\epsilon}q$ aur $\delta \mu \eta \nu$, $\hat{\epsilon}q$ aur $\delta \mu \eta \nu$; δq aur, $\delta \mu \tau$: $\delta \epsilon \mu \tau$ $\delta \epsilon \mu \tau$; $\delta \epsilon \tau$ $\delta \epsilon \tau$, $\delta \epsilon \tau$ $\delta \tau$

These are the observations, which have induced us to give a new shape to the whole business of the formation of the tenses. In unfolding the method itself, these principles may, perhaps, receive some modification or assume a different form. But no one can be surprised at this, who realises the difference between investigation and instruction; each of which must pursue a peculiar course, leaving the synthesis, which the business of instruction calls to its aid, to harmonize, at the close, with the analysis obtained by investigation. The grand aim, however, of the business of instruction, must be, to establish the independence of every form, and to communicate the clearest views, on this subject, which can be obtained by an accurate discrimination of the forms, and a knowledge of their constituent parts.

To accomplish this, without perplexing the learner by a multiplicity of forms, it was necessary, first, to deduce from the root

the first person only of every tense in the Ind. mood. Every first person of the Ind. is then considered as composed of two parts only, (augment excluded,) e.g. leig disonal, of leig and disonal; and it is reserved for future instruction to expose the more intimate organization of the form. To facilitate, however, the business in this stage, let the given classification of the tenses be attentively considered, and the terminations of the Futures and Aorists be classed in their proper order: Act. sw, ov; ow, oa; Pass. ησομαί, ην; θησομαί, θην; Mid. εομαί, ομην; σομαί, σαμην. In this manner, every termination will be readily annexed to its tense, and the whole doctrine of the formation of the tenses, will be soon comprehended and easily retained. Previously to entering on the Paradigm, we have explained what we mean by the ground-form of the tense, the mood-vowel and the termination; τύπτ-ο-μαι, εινπ-ό-μην, τύψ-ο-μαι. After this, the personal terminations of the primary and secondary tenses, and of the Imperative mood, are particularly enumerated. When the learner has a clear view of the constituent parts, and can analyse such a form as leig Ongolody v into leig-Ong-oi-odyv, as well as put these together again, to reproduce the form, he may proceed with the minutest parts of the classification or conjugation. The labour is not great. The whole formation of the Passive, or of the verbs in m, can be explained in an hour; and then, the different persons in each mood, are easily and deeply imprinted on the memory. To form synthetically single persons, is especially useful to acquire skill in the management of the forms. For example, let the Aor. 2. Mid. Subj. 3 pers. Plur, of ksixos, be required. The learner is directed to give the form from the short root and -our; and, aware that for the moods nothing but her remains, he subjoins, first the mood-vowel w, and then the termination of the 3 person Plur. reat, and gives immediately kinoprat. In the same manner, he forms Dearrai, Darrai, Deodai, &c. as far as we please to extend the synthesis. In a similar manner, every form which presents itself in reading, will be recognised by the several characteristics which it contains, and not by means of some other form, with which it is classed in the Paradigm. By resolving into its separate parts the form yoursworth, true with w indicates the subjunctive, o the Aor., and the form can no longer remain a matter of doubt. After separating rran, w, o, the final w (o doubled before the consonant o) is resolved, and we obtain the root χουσο. The language seems evidently to demand such a treatment in regard to the forms, and I shall wave for the future, any controversy concerning the adaptation of the method to the business of instruction, leaving the issue to decide upon this point.



PREFACE

TO THE EDITION OF 1813.

WHILE we have been engaged in further developing the principles here exhibited, by the assistance of such additional light, as constant experience in the business of instruction, and further observation have afforded, and have endeavoured to present them in the elementary books of our Grammar, a new edition of the present work has been demanded. After the publication of the Grammar, here alluded to, a new edition of this work might seem altogether superfluous. The object of the Grammar, however, is not to deprive its predecessor of its long asserted rights; -we shall be contented to see both together instrumental in cultivating the minds of youth. This method has been introduced and used, even where the Greek is taught from elementary books, very different from our Grammar. Such may be the case for the future also, although there is some inconvenience attending it. Besides being retained where our work on Grammar is denied admission, this method may afford pleasure to those, who prefer a distinct tabular view of a subject somewhat confused, to a treatment of it, involved in the midst of other discussions. Finally, that in this edition, much has been rendered more consistent with the views contained in the Grammar, and, as is hoped, considerably improved, needs of course no excuse on our part. Neglect on this score would have justly exposed us to censure.

PREPARATORY OBSERVATIONS.

1. OF THE VOWELS AND CONSONANTS.

ALPHABET.

| NAME. | FIGURE. | PRONUNC. | NAME. | FIGURE. | PRONUNC. |
|---------|--------------------|-----------|---------|-----------------------|-----------|
| Alpha | $A. \alpha.$ | a and aa* | Ny | $N. \nu.$ | n |
| | $B. \beta.$ | | Xi | Ξ. ξ. | |
| Gamma | Γ. γ. Δ. δ. | g | Omikron | O. o. | ŏ |
| Delta | 1. 8. | d | Pi | II. π. | р |
| Epsilon | E . ϵ . | ĕ | Rho | P. Q. | |
| Stigma | Σr. 5. | st | Sigma | Σ. σ. 9 | ;. S |
| Sdeta | Ζ. ζ. | sd | Tau | T. τ. | |
| Eta | Η. η. | | Ypsilon | Υ. υ. | y and yy* |
| Theta | Θ. θ. | | Phi | Φ . φ . | |
| Iota | I. ι. | i and ii* | Chi | | |
| Kappa | К. х. | k | Psi | Ψ . ψ . | ps |
| Lambda | Λ. λ. | 1 | Omega | Ω . ω . | 00 |
| My | Μ. μ. | m | | | |

^{*} It may be well to observe, that the sound of a, intended by the author, is that of our a in father; of ε and η , that of the German e, or English a in fate, ε and η differing only in length; of e, that of the English e in see; of e, that of the German ue, or the French u, with somewhat more of the English e sound. Hence he writes My, Ny, (for Mv, Nv), and gives the sound of e, by the German y. [Tr.]

OF THE VOWELS.

- § 1. Vowels with one simple sound. Vocalis brevis, longa, anceps. explained.
- 1. Simple vowels are $\tilde{\epsilon}$, \tilde{v} , \tilde{u} , \tilde{v} , \tilde{v} . When repeated, $\epsilon \epsilon$, oo, $u\alpha$, u, vv, they are written only once. We may distinguish them, however, for the present by a stroke above $\tilde{\epsilon}$, \tilde{v} , \tilde{u} , $\tilde{\epsilon}$, \tilde{v} .
- Note 1. Double ϵ is written η ; double o, ω . Thus $\tilde{\epsilon}$ and \tilde{o} have their own appropriate signs, and are always written η , ω . For $\tilde{\alpha}$, $\tilde{\epsilon}$, \tilde{v} , however, there are no appropriate signs.
- 2. The simple vowels are called short, (breves); when doubled, long (long@). Therefore

The short vowels are &, o, a, i, v.

The long vowels are n, w, a. i, v.

Thus α , ϵ , ϵ , serve to denote both their long and short sounds, and are called, on this account, *ancipites*, i. e. having a twofold use, as denoting both the long and the short sounds; so that they appear in one word long, in another short.

General view, $\tilde{\epsilon}, \tilde{\sigma}$, doubled, give η , ω , $\tilde{\alpha}, \tilde{\iota}, \tilde{v}$, give $\tilde{\alpha}, \tilde{\iota}, \tilde{v}$. Breves ϵ , σ ; longar η , ω ; ancipites α , ι , v.

Note 2. α , t, v, are not therefore doubtful vowels, concerning which it may be doubted, whether, in a certain word, they are long or short; or which might be, in the same word, and at the same time, both long and short; or which waver between long and short: but they are yowel-signs of a twofold nature or use, i. e. the same signs serve to denote the single and repeated sounds.

Nore 3. The long vowels have no other origin than the duplication of the short ones. For χως, εξυετο, δέξλης, ούφμον, χουσύσω, write χως, ήψετο, δήλος, ώψων, χουσύσω. If the same sound occurs by the side of a vowel already long, it is received into this, and forms one sound, e. g. χουσύω χυνοῦ, φιλέηται φιλήται.

Note 4. The sounds of ι , v, being formed by the palate and hips, in the *front* part of the mouth, may be denominated *front* vowels. Those of u, ι , a, being formed by the organs in the backpart of the mouth, may be called back-vowels.

§ 2. Vowels with two coalescing sounds, (Diphthongs); their origin.

Diphthongs are formed when a back-vowel, (α, ε, o) unites itself in utterance, with a front-vowel, (ι, v) producing one sound. Thus,

| 8 | 81 | ŧυ | η | ηι | ηυ |
|----|----|----|----------------|----|----|
| | 01 | | ω | ωı | ωυ |
| ox | αı | ũυ | $\bar{\alpha}$ | ãı | ūυ |

Note 1. The iota behind the long vowel is usually placed as a point underneath, (iota subscriptum.) Thus η_i , ω_i , $\bar{\alpha}_i$, not η_i , ω_i , $\bar{\alpha}_i$.

Note 2. vi also is found as a diphthong; but the i was (in this case,) originally pronounced with an aspirate similar to W, (digamma Aeolicum); e.g. viοs was pronounced whios; μεμανῦια, memawhia; vi, consequently, was not, properly speaking, a Diphthong.

Note 3. In pronunciation, ω commonly takes the place of αo , and η the place of $\varepsilon \alpha$ and $\alpha \omega$. H, consequently, has a twofold sound; that of long $\bar{\epsilon}$, and of ω , according as it proceeds from a double ε , or from $\varepsilon \alpha$ and $\alpha \omega$. In $q \iota \lambda \dot{\eta} \sigma \omega$, from $q \iota \lambda \dot{\epsilon} \varepsilon \sigma \omega$, it has a clear sound; in $q \eta \mu \dot{\iota}$ and $\ddot{\eta} \nu$, from $q \dot{\alpha} \alpha \mu \iota$ and $\dot{\epsilon} \dot{\alpha} \nu$, the sound is more obscure.

Note 4. $\varepsilon\iota$ has a sound between ε and ι ; and ov has the sound of an obscure o, which is lost in the v. Hence when ε and o are protracted in pronouncing, $\varepsilon\iota$ and ov are frequently obtained. We must accustom ourselves here, at once, to distinguish between the ε and o, protracted in $\varepsilon\iota$ and ov, and the duplication of these vowels, η and ω .

OF THE CONSONANTS.

§ 3. Kindred Consonants. Relation between the sounds of II, K, T. Rules for their changes.

Among the Consonants are related, as to their sounds,

- 1. II, B, ϕ . π , with a gentle h, or breathing, becomes β ; and π and β pronounced with the strong aspirate, become ϕ .
 - 2. K, Γ , X. \varkappa and γ , with the strong aspirate, become χ .
 - 3. T, Δ , Θ . τ and δ , with the strong aspirate, become ϑ .

Thus,

H. π . β . q. Of these consonants, $\pi \times r$ are utter-A. \times . γ . χ . ed without any perceptible breathing,

T. 1. 8 9. and are, therefore, called Tenues. $\Phi \chi$ 0 are the most strongly aspirated, for which reason they are called Aspirato. Between these two classes, as to the strength of the aspirate, are found $\beta \gamma$ 0, and are denominated Media. The Tenues, Media, and Aspirata, have therefore, among themselves, in their respective classes, an equal strength of aspirate.

Tenues $\begin{matrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 71 & 8 & 7 \end{matrix}$ Media $\begin{matrix} 3 & 2 & 2 \\ \beta & 7 & \delta \end{matrix}$ Aspiratæ $\begin{matrix} 3 & 3 & 3 \\ q & 2 & 2 \end{matrix}$

All the nine together are called Mutes, (Mutes,) and we must accustom ourselves to regard them in a twofold light: first as related in sound, H, K. T-sounds; and then in respect to the strength with which they are aspirated, Tenues, Mediæ, Aspiratæ.

Note 2. Of two separated aspirates, in two adjoining syllables, the first is changed into its Tenuis; e.g. πεφίληκα, not φεφιληκα; κεχρύσωκα, not γεγρύσωκα; τοιγός not θρίγος.

§ 4. The II, K and T-sounds, before σ and μ. Double consonants. Semivowels. Pennunciation of some vowels.

 A σ, immediately preceded by one of the π-sounds, gives birth to a ψ, which contains, therefore, πσ, or βσ, or qσ. For βλεπσω, τριβσω, γραφσω, write βλέψω, τρίψω, γράψω.

From σ, immediately preceded by a x-sound, proceeds u ξ, which contains, therefore, xσ, or yσ, or yσ. For ηλεχσω, λεγσω, βοεγσω, write ηλέξω, λέξω, βοέξω.

3. When a τ-sound comes before a σ, it is rejected. For ανυτσω, ερείσσω, πειθσω, write ανύσω, ερείσω, πείσω.

Note 1. For this reason, ψ and ξ are called double-consonants. Further; ζ is the sign for $\sigma\delta$, and ε for $\sigma\tau$, and may also be reckoned among the double consonants.

Observe also the gliding pronunciation of λ , μ , ν , ϱ , which, on this account, are denominated Liquids, (Liquide,) and Semivowels, (Semivocales;) and, in the paradigm, form a distinct class of verbs.

- 4. A π-sound, before a μ, is changed into μ. For τετυπμαι, τετριβμαι, γεγραφμαι, write τέτυμμαι, τέτριμμαι, γέγραμμαι.
- 5. A z-sound, before a μ, is changed into γ For πεπλεχμαι, βεβοεχμαι, write πέπλεγμαι, βέβοεγμαι: λέλεγμαι, from λέγω. remains, of course, unaltered.
- 6. A τ-sound, before a μ, is changed into σ. For ήνυτμαι, ήσειδμαι, πεπειθμαι, write ήνυσμαι, ήσεισμαι, πέπεισμαι.
- Note 2. A τ-sound, before another τ-sound, is changed into σ. For πεπειθται, έφειθθην, write πέπεισται, έφεισθην.

2. OF SYLLABLES AND ROOTS.

OF SYLLABLES.

- § 5. Origin and extent of Syllables. Multiplicity of Consonants avoided.
- 1. A syllable is formed when a vowel is uttered alone, or together with a consonant; e. g. $\varepsilon \gamma \omega$, $\sigma \sigma \circ \varepsilon$, $\varepsilon \lambda \varepsilon \iota \pi \varepsilon$.
- Note 1. 'The vowel may have a consonant both before and after it; and after it, even a double consonant; e.g. μην, γουν, τυψ-ω, κο-ραξ. When two other consonants, i.e. not forming a

double consonant, come after the vowel, a final vowel has generally been dropped; e. g. ωρσ' is ωρσε-ών-σε.

Note 2. The vowel of the syllable, besides a single consonant preceding it, may take also another consonant, viz. a Mute or a Liquid; e. g. σκαι-ός, δυᾶν, θρᾶς. Sometimes a σ followed by a Mute with a Liquid, commences the syllable; e. g. σκληψός, σπλήν, σηραγίς, στρατός, στρατός.

Note 3. Hence we may determine the proper mode of dividing the syllables. This must be so regulated that no syllable close with two consonants; e. g. πολ-λα, τα, δει-να, κοι-δεν, ἀν-θοωπων, δει-νο-ιε-μον, πε-λει. Consonants which can commence a word, remain together in the division of the syllables; e. g. ἄστρωτος, ἄ-στρω-τος: Ασκληπιός, Α-σκληπιός.

- 2. A before o is rejected. For aimon, write aimon; for dar-
- 3. Σ coming between two consonants is dropped. For $\pi \epsilon \pi \lambda \epsilon x + \sigma \partial \sigma v$, write $\pi \epsilon \pi \lambda \epsilon x \partial \sigma v$, and according to \S 3. 1. $\pi \epsilon \pi \lambda \epsilon \chi \partial \sigma v$. For $\gamma \epsilon \gamma \rho \alpha q \sigma \partial \alpha t$, write $\gamma \epsilon \gamma \rho \alpha q \sigma \partial \alpha t$.
- 4. When an ν together with a τ-sound, standing before σ, are rejected, the remaining short vowel is lengthened, viz. ε into ει, and ο into ου. The doubtful vowels, however, α, ι, υ, are doubled, e.g. α, ι, υ, η and ω remain the same. For σπενδσω, τυπτοντοι, ιεινημανία, δειχνντιο, write σπείσω, τύπιουσι, ιεινημοί, δειχνντιο τοχιωσί, τυπιωνίσι; τυπιωνίσι becomes τύπιωσι.
- § 6. Long and short syllables. Long syllables changed into short ones.

Whatever precedes the vowel, is not regarded, in the measure of a syllable; but solely the vowel, and the consonants which immediately follow it. Thus, in σχληρός, σχλ are not attended to in measuring the syllable σχλη, because they precede the vowel χ.

- A syllable is short when its vowel is a simple or short one,
 e, g, ε, δ, α, ε, δ, and is followed by one single consonant at the utmost;
 e, g, ε-λι-πον, δ-θεν, δ, πο-λύ-q α-τος.
- A syllable is long, 1. by nature, when its vowel is a double one, viz. a long vowel, η, ω, α, ε, ν, or a diphthong; e. g. ποι-αν, η, του τῶν, κευ-νῶν, στει-χῶ.
 By position, when it contains a simple vowel fellowed by two consonants; e. g. λεκτος, ηραζω.

3. A long syllable originally short, is shortened again by rejecting the last of its two vowels or consonants. Thus, τεινειν, ἀκοῦειν, τἔμνειν, τῦπτειν, when shortened, become τἔνειν, ἀκοξειν, τἔμειν, τυπειν.

Note 1. From ξ , (i. e. $\sigma\delta$,) from $\epsilon\iota$ before a Mute, and from $\epsilon\iota$, the first of the two letters is always rejected. $q\varrho\dot{\alpha}\xi\omega$, $\lambda\dot{\epsilon}l\pi\omega$, $q\dot{\epsilon}\dot{\nu}\gamma\omega$, when shortened, give $q\varrho\dot{\alpha}\delta\omega$, $\lambda\bar{\imath}\pi\omega$, $q\bar{\nu}\gamma\omega$. When the same letter is repeated, it is, of course, a matter of indifference, which one is rejected. $\beta\dot{\alpha}\lambda\lambda\dot{\epsilon}\iota\nu$, $\dot{\alpha}\gamma\gamma\dot{\epsilon}\lambda\lambda\dot{\epsilon}\iota\nu$, become $\beta\alpha\lambda\dot{\epsilon}\tilde{\imath}\nu$, $\dot{\alpha}\gamma\gamma\dot{\epsilon}\lambda\dot{\epsilon}\iota\nu$.

Note 2. On the contrary, such syllables as qιδ, πιθ, τυχ, may

easily be lengthened into qειδ, πειθ, τευχ.

Note 3. When $\lambda \eta \vartheta \epsilon \iota \nu$ becomes $\lambda \check{\alpha} \vartheta \epsilon \iota \nu$ it is a sign that the η originated from α , $\S 2$. Note 3. This is very common: e.g. $\mathring{\eta} \delta$, $\mu \eta \vartheta$, $\sigma \iota \eta$, $\beta \eta$, $q \eta$, $q \eta \nu$, become, when shortened $\mathring{\alpha} \delta$, $\mu \alpha \vartheta$, $\sigma \iota \alpha$, $\beta \alpha$, $q \alpha$, $q \alpha \nu$.

OF ROOTS.

- § 7. Of twofold roots. Change of a long into a short root. The Verbs arranged in three classes according to the termination of the root.
- 1. The root of a word consists of the letters or syllables on which the various forms of the word rest: e. g. λείπω, ἔλειπον, λείπηται, root λειπ: καλέω, καλέσας καλέσαιμι, root καλε
- The root is long, when it consists of a long syllable; or, if it be more than one syllable, when it ends with a long syllable:
 e. g. πειθ, γευου, βαλλ, ἐρειδ, άμειβ, ἀγγελλ.
- 3. The root is *short*, when it consists of a short syllable; or, if it be more than one syllable, when it ends in a short syllable: e.g. λιπ, φραδ, βαλ, άzο, άλο, περα.
- 4. A long root is changed into a short one, when its final syllable is shortened in the usual manner: (§ 6.3.) e.g. the long roots αγγελλ, ἐρειδ, ἀπου, αἰο, πευθ, φραξ, when shortened, become αγγελ, ἐριδ, ἀπο, ἀρ, πυθ, φραδ.
- 5. By subjoining to the unaltered root an ω, we obtain the first Pers. of the Præs.; e. g. λειπ, qιλε, ἀγγελλ, give λείπ-ω, qιλέ-ω, ἀγγελλ-ω.
- 6. A regular verb must have a root which ends in a vowel, a Mute or a Liquid: e.g. qιλέ-ω, λέγ-ω, βάλλω. If this be not the case, the original root has been altered by the addition of some

letters. It must, therefore, except in the Præs. and Imperf., be liberated from those letters, and in this manner be reduced to one of the above mentioned cases.

Note. The roots which end in $\sigma\sigma$, and in ζ , are very common. Of these terminations the former is almost always, the latter very frequently, reducible to a \varkappa sound. Thus, $q_{ij}\sigma\sigma$, $\eta_{ij}\sigma\sigma$, $\tau_{ij}\sigma\sigma$

- 7. Hence we obtain three classes of verbs: 1. Verba pura, whose root ends in a vowel. 2. Verba muta, whose root ends in a Mute. 3. Verba liquida, whose root ends in a Liquid.
- § 8. Changes of the root. Increase of the same. Augment. Addition of various Consonants to the root.
- A root is increased before, (receives an Augment.) 1. by prefixing an ε, if it commence with a consonant; e. g. τρατ, ἐτρατ; λεγ, ἐλεγ; ρ is generally doubled, ῥεπτ, ἐρβεπτ; 2. if it commence with a vowel, by doubling the same. Thus from

έρ, όχε, ήκ, ώθε, ἄνθαν, ῖκ, ἴβριζ, εἰ, εἰχ, οἰκε, αἰρ, αἰγ we obtain ἡρ, ώχε, ήκ, ώθε, ἡνθαν, οκ, ῦβριζ, ἡ, τηίχ, ϣκε, ἡρ, τρίχ.

3. A root is increased behind, (receives a suffix,) by the addition of various letters, without any general rule: e.g. ΣK , $\gamma \eta_i \varrho \sigma \sigma_i$; (in all the following examples the final consonant of the root must be rejected) $\delta i \delta u \gamma_i \delta i \delta u \gamma \sigma \sigma_i \delta u \delta \sigma_i \delta$

Note 1. When the root is increased by the addition of ϵ , the ϵ of the root becomes a: e. g. $\lambda\epsilon\gamma$, $\lambda\alpha\gamma\epsilon$; $\alpha\epsilon\rho$, $\alpha\alpha\rho\epsilon$. When ϵ is the last vowel of the root, it is generally changed into ϵ : e. g. $\alpha\epsilon\rho\epsilon$ with ξ , $\alpha\epsilon\rho\epsilon\xi$, $\alpha\epsilon\rho\epsilon\xi$. This takes place also when certain consonants are added; e. g. $\gamma\epsilon\nu$, $\gamma\epsilon\gamma\nu$, $\gamma\epsilon\gamma\nu$: $\epsilon\epsilon\kappa$, $\epsilon\epsilon\kappa$.

Note 2. The final vowel of the root is frequently doubled, on the addition of a consonant; e.g. tra with σx, becomes θτησx; βυ, βωσx. Sometimes the first consonant of the root is repeated, accompanied by ε; e.g. γευ, γεωσx.— γιγεωσx;— τυυ, τυωσx,— τιτρωσx,—

3. A very common method of increasing short roots behind, is to introduce v before its final consonant, and av after it.

| Orig. long roots. | Short roots. | Lengthened roots. |
|------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|
| μηθ, | μαθ, | μανθαν, |
| $\eta \delta$, | ώδ, | άνδαν, |
| πευθ, | πυθ, | πυνθαν, |
| <i>φευγ</i> , | φυγ, | φυγγαν,* |
| τευχ, | τυχ, | τυγχαν,* |
| λειπ, | λιπ, | λιμπαν,* |
| $\lambda \eta \beta$, | $\lambda \alpha \beta$, | λαμβαν.* |

Note 3. From these lengthened roots, we can easily obtain the short ones on which they rest; and from these short roots, obtain the original long ones: e. g. $\lambda \iota \mu \pi \alpha \nu - \lambda \iota \pi - \lambda \epsilon \iota \pi$.

4. Every suffix of this sort is retained only in the Præs. and Imperf. It vanishes, therefore, with the changes it has occasioned, as soon as another tense is formed.

ON THE ACTIVE VOICE.

FORMATION OF THE TENSES.

§ 9. Introduction.

1. In the Greek, as in other languages, three Primary Tenses are to be distinguished, viz, Præs. Fut. and Perf.; each of which, in respect to the form, has connected with it, a Secondary Tense, viz, Imperf. Aor. and Plusqpf. The Fut., together with its secondary tense, has frequently two forms; one of which is derived from the long, and the other from the short root: viz, Fut. 1, or the long Fut.; Aor. 1, or the long Aor.; Fut. 2, or the short Fut.; Aor. 2, or the short Aor. Hence we obtain eight tense-forms. in pairs, of which each pair is formed in a similar manner, and, consequently, may be similarly derived from the root. Their natural order is the following:

Præs. Fut. 2, or short Fut. Fut. 1, or long Fut. Perf.
Imperf. Aor. 2, or short Aor. Aor. 1, or long Aor. Plusqpf.

^{*} N before γ and χ , is changed into γ ; before π and β , into μ ; according to δ 4. Note 3. (Tr.)

Norr. All these forms are in use in but few verbs; in many a few only are found.

2. The secondary tenses receive the Augment, but only in the Indicative. The Perf. also receives the Augment, and retains it in all the moods. If the Perf. commences with a consonant, this consonant is repeated before the Augment, (Reduplicatio,) to which the Plusupf, prefixes an additional ε: e. g. τυπι, έτυπι, τετυπι, έτετυπις, είνεις, ε

Note 1. When the root begins with two consonants, without a Liquid, viz. with ψ , ξ , ζ , ς , η , ϑ , or with γr , the Perf. and Plusqpf. receive merely an ϵ for the Augment: e. g. $\psi \epsilon \nu \vartheta$ and $\xi \eta \tau \epsilon$ give only $\tilde{\epsilon} \psi \epsilon \nu \vartheta$ and $\tilde{\epsilon} \tilde{\varsigma} \eta \tau \epsilon$, in every augmented tense whatever.

Note 2. We suppose the learner, therefore, to know from which root each tense is derived, and what changes it undergoes. Should an Aor. 2, for example, of λείπω, be required, the root must first be shortened and supplied with the Augment, e. g, ελεπ. In the same manner, quar εquar. We suppose him also, to be previously acquainted with the reason, why μίο makes χο; πρασο, είνους; q quas, in the Plusque, είνους; θνησκ, in the Perf. τεθτα, q θιν, m the Plusque, only εφθιν. Nothing then remains but to subjoin the terminations. If he knows that the Perfect ends in μαι, and the Aor. 1. in θηκ, he finds no difficulty, with a knowledge of the preceding eight Sections, in forming from λείπω, (λελεια-μαι) λέλειμμαι. (έλεια-θην) έλείη θην; from οἰκέω, φκημαι and φκήθην; and from τετρωσκω, τέτρωμαι, έτρούτην; &c.

3. In order to render himself familiar with the terminations of the Active, let him observe them in their proper order.

Præs. Imperî. Fut. 2. Aor. 2. Fut. 1. Aor. 1. Perf. Plusqpf.

-ω -ων -εω -ων -σω -σω -α -ειν

Note. Properly speaking, we have here done with the formation of the tenses. But the three classes of verbs must be separately considered, the foregoing explanations applied, and the deviations or exceptions noticed.

§ 10. Verba Pura.

In this class of verbs, the roots are not generally shortened. Hence the Fut. 2. and Aor. 2. are not common. Observe also, that when a consonant is added to the root, the final vowel of the same is very frequently doubled, (§ 8. 2. note 2.); e. g. $\chi \varrho \nu \sigma \sigma$, $\chi \varrho \nu \sigma \sigma \sigma \sigma \sigma$. Observe also, that the Perf. and Plusqpf. take a \varkappa between the root and the termination, in order to strengthen the form; e. g. $\tau \dot{\epsilon} \vartheta \nu \eta \varkappa \sigma$, ($\tau \dot{\epsilon} \vartheta \nu \eta \varkappa \sigma$, not $\tau \dot{\epsilon} \vartheta \nu \sigma - \sigma$. In the same manner, $\pi \dot{\epsilon} q \dot{\iota} \lambda \eta \varkappa \sigma$, $\dot{\epsilon} \pi \dot{\epsilon} q \dot{\iota} \lambda \dot{\eta} \varkappa \dot{\epsilon} \iota \nu$, &c.

| Roots | оїхє | χουσο | τιμα | $\tau\iota$ |
|---------|--------------|---------------------|------------------|--------------------|
| Præs. | οἰκέ-ω | χουσό-ω | τιμά-ω | τί-0) |
| Imperf. | ο"κε-ον | ε-χούσο-ον | έ-τίμα-ον | ξ-τι-ον |
| Fut. 1. | οἰκή-σω | χουσώ-σω | τιμή-σω | τί-σω |
| Aor. 1. | ώνη-σα | έ−χούσω−σα | <i>ξ−τίμη−σα</i> | έ-τι-σα |
| Perf. | ούκη-κ-α | κε−χούσω−κ−α | ιε-τίμη-κ-α | τέ-τι- ν -α |
| | อื่นที่-น-ยบ | . " | | έ-τε-τί-x-ει |

Note. Only when the root can be shortened, as in ἀχούω, δαί-ω, some short tenses are found in use.

§ 11. Verba Muta.

- 1. When a σ is added to the Mute which terminates the root in this class, the changes mentioned in § 4. 1, 2, 3, take place. In $\tau \dot{\nu} \pi \tau \omega$, which is used for the Paradigm, the root is $\tau \nu \pi$, and τ is added to strengthen it. Hence, $\tau \nu \pi \sigma \omega$ $\tau \dot{\nu} \psi \omega$, $\lambda \epsilon \gamma \sigma \omega$ $\lambda \dot{\epsilon} \xi \omega$, $\pi \epsilon \iota \vartheta \sigma \omega$ $\pi \epsilon \dot{\iota} \sigma \omega$.
- 2. The Perfect changes often ε into o; e.g. πείθω, πέποιθα; aspirates frequently the π and κ sounds; e.g. τέτυφα, πέπλεγα; and takes sometimes the κ sound in place of a τ: e.g. πεπειθ-α πέπεικα.

| Roots | τυπ | <i>φευγ-φυγ</i> | πειθ-πιθ |
|----------|-------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Præs. | τύπ-τω | φεύγ-ω | $\pi \epsilon i \vartheta - \omega$ |
| Imperf. | ξ-τυπ-τ-ον | έ-φευγ-ον | ξ-πειθ-ον |
| Fut. 2. | τυπ-έω | φυγ-έω | πιθ-έω |
| Aor. 2. | ξ'−τυπ-ο ν | έ-φυγ-ον | έ-πιθ-ον |
| Fut. 1. | τύψ-ω | φεύξ-ω | πεί-σω |
| Aor. 1. | <i>έ-τυψ-α</i> | $\xi'-q \varepsilon v \xi - \alpha$ | ε ′−πει−σα |
| Perf. 2. | τέ-τυπ-α | πέ-φευγ-α | πέ-ποιθ-α |
| Plusqpf. | 2. ε-τε-τύπ-ειν | έ-πε-φεύγειν | έ-πε-ποίθ-ειν |
| Perf. 1. | ι έ-τυφ-α | πέ-φευχ-α | πέ-πει-κ-α |
| Plusqpf. | . 2. ε-τε-τύφ-ειν | έ-πε-φεύχ-ειν | έ-πε-πεί-κ-ειν |

Mixed Forms for exercise in finding the root.

| | 2 | 9 |
|-------------|-------------|--------------------|
| Præs. | βρέχω | λείπω |
| Imperf. | EBURYON | ξηίγγανον |
| Fut. 2. | q oudio | τοαγέω |
| Aor. 2. | έφυαδον | ξπομγον |
| Fut. 1. | ផ្នែល | τινάξω |
| Aor. 1. | 7,000 | βλπισα |
| Perf. 2. | λέλοιπα | mx103 |
| Plusqpf. 2. | ελελοίπειν | रेत्रहत् शंत्रहरू |
| Perf. 1. | κέκουσα | nyu |
| Plusqpf. 1. | Exexpugativ | हेत्रहत्तर्वाषु हर |

§ 12. Verba Liquida.

The Tenses in use except the Præs, and Imperf., are formed from the short root. Together with the forms which have ϵ in the root, there were others also in use with α , even in the Præs.; e. g. $\tau\dot{\alpha}\mu\nu\omega$ and $\tau\dot{\epsilon}\mu\nu\omega$. Others with α alone; e. g. $\tau\dot{\alpha}\mu\nu\omega$. Hence two forms of the Fut. 2. are met with; $\tau\epsilon\mu\dot{\epsilon}\omega$ and $\tau\alpha\mu\dot{\epsilon}\omega$, while in the Aor. 2. and in the other tenses, α remains. The long Fut. is usually wanting, and the long Aor. ends in α , doubling, however, the short vowel of the short root, and lengthening ϵ into $\epsilon\iota\epsilon$; e. g. $\tau\iota\lambda\lambda$, $\check{\epsilon}\iota\epsilon\iota\lambda\alpha$; $\tau\iota\lambda\lambda$, $\check{\epsilon}\iota\epsilon\iota\lambda\alpha$.

| Roots | quer | σπειρ | |
|----------|-----------------|---------------|--------------|
| Prms. | quir-m | σπείο-ω | |
| Imperf. | E-quer-ov | ¥-6лецо-0v | |
| Fut. 2. | y ar-éor | σπαρ-έω | |
| Aor. 2. | E-yar-ov | F-Gaap-ov | |
| Fut. 1. | | | |
| Aor. 1. | E-9111-66 | ĕ- σлецо-и | |
| Perf. | 718-17 1/1-10 | ž-onop-u also | i-опио-ни |
| Plusqpf. | i-ne-q 1, v-eev | έ-σπόρ-ειν - | ξ-σπάρ-χ-ειν |
| | | , | , |

Mixed Forms for exercise.

| Præs. | riquaira | xoir@ | Fut. 1. | | |
|---------|-----------|---------|----------|-----------|-------------|
| Imperf. | Elypueror | Freevor | Aor. 1. | DUISTKS | έσημανα |
| Fut. 2. | *QIVÉM | περέω | Perf. | μέμονα | ig Doga |
| Aor. 2. | KNOLVOV | Lucror | Plusqpf. | Enemoreur | enenkuneer. |

Note 1. In roots ending in ϱ and λ , we find sometimes the Fut.

1. and Aor. 1. constructed in the usual manner; e. g. $\~σ_Qω$, $\~σ_Qσα$; $\varkappa έλλω$, $\varkappa έλσω$.

Note 2. N, when it is the final consonant of the root is omitted after $\epsilon\iota$, ϵ , and ν , in some tenses; e.g. $\pi \tau \alpha \nu$, (from $\pi \tau \epsilon\iota \nu$,) Perf. $\xi \pi \tau \alpha \pi \alpha$; $\pi \chi_0 \iota \nu$, $\pi \xi \pi \chi_0 \iota \nu$, $\pi \xi \pi \chi_0 \iota \nu$, $\pi \xi \pi \chi_0 \iota \nu$, because this ν was not originally in the root. Thus $\pi \ell \nu \omega$, Aor. 2. $\xi \pi \iota \iota \nu$; the root, therefore, is not $\pi \iota \nu$, but $\pi \iota$.

PARADIGM.

§ 13. Of the Active.

Deviations. Deviations.

Perf. τέτυπ $\begin{cases} -\alpha & \alpha\varsigma & \epsilon & S. \\ -\alpha\mu\epsilon\nu & \alpha\tau\sigma\nu & \alpha\tau\sigma\nu & D. & Aor. 1. \end{cases}$ $\tilde{\epsilon}$ τυψ $\begin{cases} -\alpha & \alpha\varsigma & \epsilon \\ -\alpha\mu\epsilon\nu & \alpha\tau\sigma\nu & \alpha\tau\sigma\nu & \alpha\tau\sigma\nu \\ -\alpha\mu\epsilon\nu & \alpha\tau\epsilon & \alpha\sigma\epsilon & P. \end{cases}$

Plusqpf, ἐτετύπ $\begin{cases} -ειν & εις & ει \\ -ειμεν ειτον είτην \\ -ειμεν ειτε εισαν \end{cases}$

Subjunct. (terminations as in the Primar. tens.)

 $\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{Præs. } \tau \dot{\nu} \pi \tau \\ \text{Aor. 2. } \tau \dot{\nu} \pi \\ \text{Aor. 1. } \tau \dot{\nu} \psi \\ \text{Perf. } \tau \varepsilon \tau \dot{\nu} \pi \\ \end{array} \right\} \begin{array}{l} -\omega & \eta S & \eta & S. \\ -\omega \mu \varepsilon \nu & \eta \tau \varepsilon \nu & \eta \tau \varepsilon \nu \\ -\omega \mu \varepsilon \nu & \eta \tau \varepsilon \varepsilon & \omega \varepsilon \varepsilon & P. \end{array}$

Optat. (terminations as in the Secondar, tens.

 Præs. τύπτ

 Fut.2. τυπέ

 -οιμι οις οι

 Αοτ. 2. τύπ

 -οιμεν οιτο οίτην

 Fut. 1. τύψ

 -οιμεν οιτε οιεν

 Perf. ιειύπ

Deviation.

Aor. 1. τύψ { -αιμι αις αι -αιμεν ατον αίτην -αιμεν αιτε αιεν

Imperative.

Præs. Trit) -EIV Fut. 2. Tuné | - 211 Aor. 2. τυπ -είν Fut. 1. τύψ] -ειν

Infinitive.

Deviation.

Participles.

 Præs.
 τύπτ -ων
 εσα
 ον
 Αοτ.
 2.
 τυπ -ών
 εσα
 ον

 Fut.
 2.
 τυπέ -ων
 εσα
 ον
 Fut.
 1.
 τύψ -ων
 εσα
 ον

& 14. Of the Passive.

Indicat. Primar. tenses.

Præs.
$$\tau \dot{\nu} \pi i$$

Fut. 2. $\tau \dot{\nu} \pi i \sigma$
Fut. 1. $\tau \dot{\nu} g \vartheta \dot{\eta} \sigma$
Fut. 2. M. $\tau \dot{\nu} \tau \dot{\tau}$
Fut. 1. M. $\tau \dot{\nu} \dot{\psi}$
Fut. 3. $\tau \dot{\epsilon} \tau \dot{\psi}$

Forms of the Perfect without the characteristic vowel.

Indicat. Secondar. tenses.

Αστ. 1. Μ. έτυψ- άμην ω ατο άμεθον ασθον άσθην, &c.

Plusqpf.

Subjunct. (termination of prim. tense.)

Præs. τύπτη -ωμαι η Αοτ. 2. Μ. τύπ -ωμεθον ησθον ησθον Aor. 1. Μ. τύψ -ωμεθα ησθε ωνται

Optat. (termination of secondar. tense.)

Præs. Fut. 2. τυπησ Fut. 1. τυφθησ -οίμην οιο οιοτο Fut. 2. M. τυπε } -οίμεθον οισθον οίσθην Αοτ. 2. Μ. τυπ -οίμεθα οισθε οιντο Fut. 1. M. 10W

Fut. 3. 78704)

Αοτ. 1. Μ. τυψ. -αίμην αιο αιτο ΕΤС.

Note. Forms without the characteristic vowel cannot be constructed in the Subjunct, and Optat.

Infinitive. Imperative. Aor. 2. M. τυπ Perf.

Participles.

Aor. 2. M. τυπ Præs. τυπτ- $\left. \left\{ \begin{array}{ll} -\acute{o}\mu\epsilon\nuos \ \eta \ o\nu \end{array} \right. \begin{array}{ll} \operatorname{Fut. 1. M. } \tau\upsilon\psi \\ \operatorname{Fut. 2. } \tau\epsilon\tau\upsilon\psi \end{array} \right\} -\acute{o}\mu\epsilon\nuos \ \eta \ o\nu$ Fut. 1. τυφθησ Fut. 2. Μ. τυπε Αοτ. 2. Μ. τυψ -άμενος η ον Perf. τετυ μ-μένος η ον

CONJUGATION OF THE ACTIVE.

§ 15. General observations. The three parts in every person distinguished.

When a tense is fully formed, we regard as its Ground-form, what precedes the final vowel. Of the Fit. 1. $rv\psi - \omega$, the Ground-form is $rv\psi$, which remains, throughout this tense, unaltered. Of the Aor. 2., however, the Ground-form is $rv\pi$; in the Ind. $\ell rv\pi$, with the Augment.

To this root is annexed, in every Mood and Person, a vowel, which we call the *Mood-vowel*, or characteristic vowel of the Mood, because it serves principally, to determine the Mood.

Finally, the Terminations are subjoined to the Mood-vowel.

In every form, therefore, these three parts must be accurately distinguished, viz, Ground-form, Mood-vowel, and Termination. The tirst determines the tense; the second, the mood; and the third, the person.

The Mood-vowel of the Ind., Act., and Pass., throughout the whole conjugation, some tenses excepted, is, in the three first persons of each number and in the 3 Plur., an o; in all the rest an e; e.g. Sing. 1. rent-o 2. rent-e 3. rent-e. Dual 1. rent-o 2. rent-e 3. rent-e.

§ 16. Conjugation of the Primary tenses in the Indicative.

The Terminations of the Primary tenses in the Ind. are as follows:

Terminations alone. With the Mood-vowel. M.vow. & term. united. S. = 0 - $\iota\varsigma$ = ι = 0-0 & ι - ι s & ι - ι = 0-0 & ι - ι s & ι - ι 0 - ι 0 -

Conjugation.

Not 1. In the 3 pers. Plur., νr before σ are rejected, and σ becomes u, ξ 5. 1. The α in the Perf. is lengthened, revenue. because νr is dropped.

Note 2. The Perf. takes for the Mood-vowel, an α , but is irregular in the Sing.

The grand and never failing distinction between the primary and secondary tenses is this; that the primary tenses have the 3. pers. Dual uniformly short $(-\tau o \nu)$; the secondary tenses, on the contrary, long $(-\tau \eta \nu)$; and, that the 3. pers. Plur., in the former, ends in $\nu \tau \sigma \nu$; in the latter, in ν .

§ 17. Conjugation of the Secondary tenses in the Indicative.

The Terminations, which are subjoined to the Mood-vowel, in the Secondary tenses of the Indicative, are

Note 1. The Aor. 1. takes, for the Mood-vowel, an α , and proceeds in the Sing. like the Perf.

Note 2. The Plusqpf, takes for the Mood-vowel, ει, and terminates the 3 pers. Plur, in εισαν and εσαν.

§ 18. Conjugation of the Subjunctive.

In the Subjunctive, the long vowels $\omega \eta$, in place of the short ones $o \varepsilon$, are annexed to the root, for Mood-vowels, and to these the Terminations of the Primary tenses are subjoined.

Mood. v. and Term. Mood. v. and Term. united. S.
$$\omega = 0$$
 $\eta = \iota \varsigma$ $\eta = \iota$ $-\omega$ $-\eta \varsigma$ $-\eta$ $-\eta$ D. $\omega = \mu \epsilon \nu$ $\eta = \tau 0 \nu$ $\eta = \tau 0 \nu$ $-\eta \tau 0 \nu$ $-\eta \tau 0 \nu$ P. $\omega = \mu \epsilon \nu$ $\eta = \tau \epsilon$ $\omega = \nu \tau 0 \epsilon$ $-\omega \mu \epsilon \nu$ $-\eta \tau \epsilon$ $-\omega 0 \epsilon$ Conjugation. Præs. $\tau \nu' \pi \tau$ $-\omega 0 \tau \epsilon$ $-\omega 0 \tau$

Pres.
$$tv\pi t$$
Aor. 2. $tv\pi t$
Aor. 1. $tv\psi t$
Perf. 2. $t\epsilon tv\pi t$
Perf. 1. $t\epsilon tv\psi t$
Pres. $tv\pi t$

Note. The Secondary tenses of the Pres. and Perf. (Imperf. and Plusqpf.) have no appropriate forms, except in the Indicative. The Futures also, have no Subjunctive or Imperative.

§ 19. Conjugation of the Optative.

The Optative takes, for its Mood-vowel, oi, and in the Aor. 1.

at. The terminations are, in the 1 pers. Sing. μt , in the 3 Plur.

ev; the other persons follow the analogy of the Secondary tenses.

§ 20. Conjugation of the Imperative.

The Imperative, which in every Number has only the 2d and 3d pers., takes, for its Mood-vowel, uniformly an ϵ , and subjoins to this, in the Sing. 2. $-\theta t$, 3. $\tau \omega$; Dual 2. $-\tau \nu$, 3. $-\tau \omega \nu$ Plur. 2. $-\tau \epsilon$, 3. $\tau \omega \sigma u \nu$, (irregularly $\sigma \nu \tau \omega \nu$ without the Mood-vowel.) $-\theta t$, however, is usually dropped; e.g. $\tau \dot{\nu} \pi \tau \dot{\epsilon}$ for $\tau \nu \pi \tau \dot{\epsilon} \theta t$.

Conjugation.

| Præs. | Time) | -8 | E-7 (13 |
|----------|---------|--------|----------------|
| Aor. 2. | 71:11 | -8-101 | E-1012 |
| Perf. 2. | TÉTUT | -5-78 | E-7 (1) (5 (C) |
| Perf. 1. | réiry) | 0.0 | -01701 |

Note. The Aor. 1. retains here, as in all the Moods, the Subjunctive excepted, its Mood-vowel a, but terminates the 2 pers. Sing. in or; e. g.

§ 21. Of the Infinitive and Participle.

- The lufinitives terminate, the Mood-vowel included, in ειν
 The Aor. 1., however, ends in αι, e.g. τύψ-αι; and the Perf. in εναι, e.g. τεινπ-έναι.
- The Participles end, the characteristic vowel included, in ov for the Masc., ονσα for the Fem., and ον for the Neuter; ex-

cept the Aor. 1., which ends in αs , $\alpha \sigma \alpha$, $\alpha \nu$; and the Perf. which ends in $\dot{\omega s}$, $v i \alpha$, $\dot{\sigma s}$. Thus

$$\begin{array}{c} \text{Præs. } \tau \dot{\upsilon} \pi \tau \\ \text{Fut. } 2. \tau \upsilon \pi \dot{\varepsilon} \\ \text{Aor. } 2. \ \tau \upsilon \pi \dot{\varepsilon} \\ \text{Fut. } 1. \ \tau \dot{\upsilon} \psi \end{array} \right\} - \omega \nu \ o\upsilon \sigma \alpha \ o\nu$$

Note. The Aor. 2. has the accent, both in the Infinitive and Participle on the last syllable; e. g. τυπών οῦσα όν, Inf. τυπεῖν.

ON THE PASSIVE VOICE.

1. Derivation of the Tenses.

If the Paragraphs on the letters and syllables, are fresh in the memory, the learner will find no difficulty in comprehending, in its whole extent, the Greek Passive; which, indeed, must not be regarded as a confused and arbitrary mass of inflexions, but as a noble and inimitable master-piece, and worthy, on account of the euphony and perfection of its forms, of the highest degree of attention and admiration.

The Præs. Perf. and Plusqpf. have each one tense-form, the Futt. and Aorr. have each two, making in all twelve tense-forms. The Futt. and Aorr. require a separate consideration. We commence with the four first-mentioned tenses.

§ 22. Formation of the Præs. Imperf. Perf. and Plusqpf.

The Primary tenses of the Pass. end in $-\mu\alpha\iota$, and the Secondary tenses, in $-\mu\alpha\iota\nu$; which terminations are preceded by the Moodvowel a; in the Perf. and Plusqpf., however, they are subjoined immediately to the root.

| Verba | Pura, | Verba Muta. | Verba Liquida. |
|----------|-----------------|-------------|---------------------------|
| Root | 3x50 | λεγ | 5 ελλ− 5 αλ |
| Præs. | οἰκέ-ο-μαι | λέγ-ο-μαι | ςέλλ-ο-μαι |
| Imperf. | ώκε-ό-μην | έλεγ-ό-μην | έςελλ-ό-μην |
| Perf. | ῷκη-μαι δ 8. 1. | λέλεγ-μαι | έςαλ-μαι § 12. |
| Plusqpf. | ωχή-μην | έλελέγ-μην | έςάλ-μην |

Note 1. For the changes which the Mutes or π × τ-sounds undergo, see δ 4, and the several examples there given; e. g.

| Præs. | Perf. | Præs. | Perf. |
|-------------|-----------|------------------|------------|
| τύπτω (τυπ) | rezvinac | στενάζω (στεναχ) | έστέναγμαι |
| ευχομαι | ηυγμαι | φυάζω (φυαδ) | πέφρασμαι |
| qeidw | πέσεισμαι | ταυάσσω (ταραχ) | τετάραγμαι |

Note 2. When the root has an ε, it assumes frequently, in place of this ε, an α; e. g. στοέφω, έστομμαι.

Note 3. The σ, before the termination -μαι, is found also in many of the Verba Pura, for the purpose of strengthening the form: e. g. ἀκούω, ἥκουσμαι; χρίω κέχρισμαι; τελέω τετέλεσμαι.

NOTE 1. N, when it is the final consonant of the root, after ει ι ν, is rejected in the long tense-forms of the Pass.: e.g. κρίτω, κέκριμαι. § 12. Note 2.

Νοτε 5. Ευ in the root is generally shortened: e.g. τεύχω, τέτυγμαι; qεύγω, πέqυγμαι.

§ 23. Formation of the Futures and Aorists.

In the second Futures and Aorists, and in the Verba Liquida in all the forms, the root must be shortened. The Terminations are

| | | | Verba | | |
|-------------|---------------------------|-----------|--------------|------------------------------|----|
| | | | оїжη | χουσο | |
| Fut. 2. | -riconai | | | wanting | |
| Aor. 2. | -1; v | | wanting | wanting | |
| Fut. 1. | -thyonyac | | οίκη-θήπομαι | zorow-Dinoua | l |
| Aor. 1. | -ariv | | winni-Oriv | ביופני-שוים עור ליים יום בין | |
| (with th | e short roo | t) | | | |
| Fut. 2. M. | -sount | | | | |
| Aor. 2. M. | -ounp | | | | |
| (with th | e long root |) | quie | τιμα | |
| Fut 1. M. | -понии | | quin-vouce | riur,-souai | |
| Aor. 1. M. | $-\sigma\alpha\mu\eta\nu$ | | έσιλη-σάμην | éreun-ouenv | |
| Verl | a Muta. | | Verl | a Liquida. | |
| Short roots | 11/78 | 918 | guv | ROIV | |
| Fut. 2. 71 | ni-oona | giðij dom | ut qui-io | une xoiv-i, souai | |
| Aor. 2. iri | יין דין אין | igid-no | ėg av-np | ěnolv-nv | |
| Long roots | rin | Bisp | | | |
| Fut. 1. m | | , | souat auv-di | σομαι ποι-θήσομα | t- |
| Aor. 1. it | | igsio-91 | | nu êngi-diju | |
| | , | , | | 6 | |

Verba Muta.

Short roots τὖπ τυχ

Fut. 2. Μ. τυπ-έομαι τυχ-έομαι

Αστ.2. Μ. ἐτυπ-όμην ἐτυχ-όμην

Long roots τὖπ τευχ

Fut. 1. Μ. τὑψομαι τεὑξομαι

Αστ.1. Μ. ἐτυψάμην ἐτευξάμην

Verba Liquida. τεν fr. τεινω ςαλ fr. ςελλω τεν-έομαι ςαλ-έομαι έτεν-όμην έςαλ-όμην

wanting, as in the Act., and the Acr. follows the analogy of the Act. ἔςειλα ἐςειλάμην.

Note 1. The four last tenses of each class are marked with M, (tempora Medii), on account of the Middle signification of their Aorists.

Note 2. The completed Future, Futurum exactum vel perfectum, receives the Augment as in the Perf. and the Terminations as in Fut. 1.; e. g. λειπ, λελείψομαι, relictus ero; τυπτ, τετύψομαι; απατα, ηπατήσομαι.

Note 3. It is obvious, that the given Terminations, both the Aorists Pass. excepted, contain the Terminations properly so called $-\mu\alpha\iota - \mu\eta\nu$, the Mood-vowel o, and also the intermediate member, which comes between the Mood-vowel and the root: e.g. $\tau\nu\varphi\vartheta\eta\sigma o\mu\alpha\iota$ contains $\tau\nu\pi-\vartheta\epsilon-\sigma-o-\mu\alpha\iota$, and consequently, the member or syllable $\vartheta\epsilon$ more than $\tau\nu\pi-\sigma-o-\mu\alpha\iota$; $\tau\nu\pi-\epsilon-o\mu\alpha\iota$ with a σ gives $\tau\nu\pi\epsilon-\sigma-o\mu\alpha\iota$ $\tau\nu\pi\eta\sigma o\mu\alpha\iota$.

2. Conjugation.

§ 24. Conjugation of the Indicative.

The Aor. 2. in $-\eta\nu$, and the Aor. 1. in $-\partial\eta\nu$, must be separated from the other forms, as they belong to another Conjugation, viz. of the verbs in $-\mu\nu$, to which they form the transition. The Moodvowel is, throughout, the same as in the Act. In the Perf., however, it is wanting in all the Moods, and the Terminations are subjoined immediately to the root. The terminations are, in the Primary tenses

| Terminatio | ns alone. | | With | the Mood-vo | wel. |
|------------|---------------------------------|------------------------|---------|-------------|-------------------------------------|
| S μαι | $-\sigma\alpha\iota$ | $-\tau \alpha \iota$ | -ομαι | -εσαι | -8701 |
| Dμεθον | $-\sigma \vartheta o \nu$ | $-\sigma\partial o\nu$ | -oµεθοι | -εσθον | $-\epsilon\sigma\vartheta\sigma\nu$ |
| Pμεθα | $-\sigma \vartheta \varepsilon$ | $-\nu\tau\alpha\iota$ | -ομεθα | -εσθε | -ονται |

Note. From the 2 pers. Sing. -εσαι, when it has the Mood-

vowel (therefore not in the Perf. and Plusqpf.) the σ is rejected, in every Tense and Mood, and the remaining vowels contracted; e. g. $-\epsilon \sigma a \epsilon = -\epsilon a \epsilon - \eta \epsilon = \eta$.

In this manner may be conjugated

There remains yet the Conjugation of the Perfect.

1. In the Verba Pura.

In this class of verbs, the Terminations follow upon the final vowel of the root, and occasion no multiplication of Consonants. Hence the Conjugation proceeds without interruption, e.g. from quito we obtain in the Perf. Pass.

Verba Muta.

In this class, the Terminations being subjoined immediately to the root, whose final letter is a Mute, a multiplication of Consonants is occasioned, which must be obviated in the manner above described. Vid. § 3. 4 and 5.; e. g.

| terrin-uat | reren-out | 1337-171731 |
|--------------|--------------------|-------------|
| 11-1101 | y-uu | n-rai |
| retra-uellov | יים היודוים המודוד | ιεινπ-σθον |
| μ-μεθον | 9-000 | 4-200 |
| reren-uella | 18117-008 | (1811-1741) |
| u-ne Ou | q-0+ | |

Note. The persons of the Perf. and Plusque, which cannot be formed regularly, are formed, as in Latin, by means of the Participle and the Auxiliary even; e.g. 3 pers. Plur. Perf. resuppirot vial, verberati sunt; 3 pers. Plur. Plusque, resuppirot vial, verberati sunt; 3 pers. Plur. Plusque, resuppirot vial, &c. Subjunct. resuppiros of vial vial verberations of vial verberations.

| λέλεγ-μαι | λελεγ-σαι | λελεγ-ται |
|-------------|------------|--------------|
| | ξ-αι | χ-ται |
| λελεγ-μεθον | λελεγ-σθον | λελεγ-σθοι |
| | γ-θον | 7-200 |
| | χ-θον | χ-θον |
| λελεγ-μεθα | λελεγ-σθε | λελεγ-νται |
| | γ-θε | |
| | χ-θε | |

In the same manner, (πεπειθ-μαι) πέπεισ-μαι, (πέπειθ-σαι) πέπει-σαι, (πεπειθ-ται) πέπεισ-ται. From φοάζω (root φοαδ) we obtain (πεφοαδμαι) πέφοασμαι,(πεφοαδσαι) πέφοασαι, (πεφοαδ-ται) πέφοασται. If we endeavour to avoid the multiplication of consonants in the 3 Plur., by rejecting ν, we obtain the 3 pers. Sing. again. This Pers., therefore, cannot be regularly formed.

The Verba Liquida occasion no difficulty; e.g. $\varsigma \dot{\epsilon} \lambda \lambda \omega$, $\dot{\epsilon} \varsigma \alpha \lambda \mu \alpha \iota$, $\dot{\epsilon} \varsigma \alpha \lambda \tau \alpha \iota$, $\dot{\epsilon} \varsigma \alpha \iota$, $\dot{\epsilon} \gamma \alpha \iota$, $\dot{$

The terminations of the Secondary Tenses in the Indic. are,

| Terminat. alone. | | With the | With the Mood-vowel. | | | |
|------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------|--|--------------------------------------|--|
| $-\mu\eta\nu$ | -σο | -1 o | -ομην | -800 | -810 | |
| -μεθον | $-\sigma\partial o\nu$ | $-\sigma \vartheta \eta \nu$ | -ομεθον | -εσθον | $-\varepsilon\sigma\vartheta\eta\nu$ | |
| -μεθα | $-\sigma \vartheta \varepsilon$ | $-\nu\tau o$ | -ομεθα | $-\varepsilon\sigma\vartheta\varepsilon$ | -οντο | |

Note 1. The Aor. 1. M. takes, for its mood-vowel, an α ; e.g. $-\alpha\mu\eta\nu$ $-\alpha\sigma\sigma$ $-\alpha\tau\sigma$, &c.

Note 2. By dropping the σ_1 in the 2 pers. Sing., $\varepsilon\sigma_0$ becomes ε_0 -ov; and $\alpha\sigma_0$, $\alpha\sigma_0$ - σ_0 .

Imperf. $\vec{\epsilon} r \nu \pi r$ $\left. \begin{array}{l} - \dot{\epsilon} \mu \eta \nu \ \varepsilon \ \epsilon \tau o, \&c. \ Aor. \ 1. \ \dot{\epsilon} r \nu \psi - \dot{a} \mu \eta \nu \ \omega \ a \tau o, \&c. \end{array} \right.$

The Plusqpf, suffers the same changes as the Perf., and for the same reasons; e. g ἐπεφιλήμην, ἐπεφίλησο, ἐπεφίλητο, &c. without any difficulty on the score of the consonants. But ἐτετυπ-μην gives ἐτετύμ-μην; ἐτετυπ-σο, ἐτέτυψο, &c.

Note 3. In the Pass, also, the Primary tenses are distinguished from the Secondary, by the 3 Pers. Dual and Plur.; e.g. Primary tenses $-\sigma\vartheta\sigma\nu$, Secondary tenses $-\sigma\vartheta\eta\nu$. Primar, tenses $-\nu\tau\alpha\iota$, Secondary tenses $-\nu\tau\sigma$. This distinction should be particularly attended to.

§ 25. Conjugation of the Subjunctive.

The Mood-vowels are, as in the Act., ω and η , and the terminations are those of the Primary tenses.

Mood-v. and Terminat.
-ωμαι -ησαι -ηται
-ωμεθον -ησθον -ησθον
-ωμεθα -ησθε -ωνται
-ωμεθα -ησθε -ωνται
-ωμεθα -ησθε -ωνται
-ωνται Αοτ. 1. Μ. τύψ

Note 1. By rejecting σ, in the 2 pers. Sing, we have ηαι, ηι, η.
Note 2. The other Aorists in -ην and -θην, as has been observed above, do not belong to the Conjugation; and of course, do not come at present under consideration. The Imperf. and Plusqpf, have no other Mood but the Indicat. The Futt. Subj. are wanting, as in the Act. The Perf. cannot form a Subjunctive, because the difference between this Mood and the Indicative, consists in the lengthening of the characteristic vowel, which fails in the Perfect. When such forms of the verba pura as ψαησθον, πεφιλώνται, occur, they have the characteristic vowel and suffer a contraction.

§ 26. Conjugation of the Optative.

The Optative takes here also its Mood-vowel oi, and the terminations of the secondary tenses.

Mood-v. and Terminat.

-οιμεθαν -οισθον -οισθην Fut. 2. τυπης -οιμεθαν -οισθον -οισθην Fut. 1. τυπησ -οιμεθα -οιθε -οιντο Fut. 1. τυπης Fut. 2. Μ. τυπε Αστ. 2. Μ. τυπε

Aor.1.Μ. τυψ-αίμην αιο αιτο Fut. 1. Μ. τυψ &c. Fut. 3. τετυψ

Note 1. The Aor. 1. M. takes here also its at.

Note 2. In the 2 pers. Sing., the σ is dropped, and no farther change takes place.

Note 3. In this Mood also, the Perf. cannot be formed, because the Mood-vowel fails. In the Attic dialect, however, some of the verba pura, to form the Optat., receive an ι between the root and the Termination; e. g. (πεφιλη-ι-μην) πεφιλήμην, (πεφιλη-ι-σο πεφιλησο) πεφιλήσο, &c. and this ι disappears entirely when it cannot be subscribed; e. g. (λελιμην) λελίμην; which, however, properly speaking, should be written λελιίμην, λελιίο, &c.

§ 27. Imperative.

The Mood-vowel is here also an ε. The Terminations are

| | • | | , |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------|-------------------------------------|
| -σο | -σθω | -εσο | $-\epsilon\sigma\vartheta\omega$ |
| $-\sigma \vartheta o \nu$ | $-\sigma \vartheta \omega \nu$ | -εσθον | $-\epsilon\sigma\vartheta\omega\nu$ |
| $-\sigma \vartheta \varepsilon$ | -σθωσαν | -εσθε | -εσθωσαι |

Note. After rejecting σ , in the 2 pers. Sing., ϵo becomes ov. Pres. $(\tau v \pi v - \epsilon \sigma \sigma)$ $\tau v \pi \tau v v$, $\tau v \pi v - \epsilon \sigma \vartheta \omega$, &c. The Aor. 2. M. in the 2 Sing, has the accent on the last syllable $\tau v \pi o \tilde{v}$. The Aor. 1. M. ends in αv in the 2 Sing., and is regular in the remaining persons; retaining, however, its αv ; e. g. $\tau v \psi - \alpha v v \psi - \alpha \sigma \vartheta \omega$, &c. In the Perf., on account of the Mood-vowel which fails, the consonants are multiplied in the verba muta $(\tau \varepsilon \tau v \pi - \sigma \sigma)$ $\tau \varepsilon \tau v \psi \sigma \omega$, $(\tau \varepsilon \tau v \pi - \sigma \vartheta \omega \tau \varepsilon \tau v \pi \vartheta \omega)$ $\tau \varepsilon \tau v \psi \vartheta \omega$, &c., which changes are managed as in the Indicative.

§ 28. Infinitive.

The Infinitive ends in $-\sigma \vartheta \alpha \iota$, which, with the Mood-vowel ε , gives $\varepsilon \sigma \vartheta \alpha \iota$. The Participles end in $-\mu \varepsilon \nu \sigma \varsigma$, which, with the characteristic vowel σ , gives $-\sigma \mu \varepsilon \nu \sigma \varsigma$. The Aor. 1. M., however, retains its σ ; e.g. $-\sigma \sigma \vartheta \alpha \iota -\sigma \mu \varepsilon \nu \sigma \varsigma$. The Mood-vowel fails in the Perfect.

Perf. (τετυπ-σθαι) τετύφθαι, (τετυπ-μενος) τετυμμένος. In the same manner, λέγω (λελεγ-σθαι) λελέχθαι, λελεγμένος; πείθω, (πεπειθ-σθαι) πεπεί-σθαι, (πεπειθ-μενος) πεπεισμένος; φράζω, (πεπραδ-σθαι,) πεφράσθαι (πεφραδμενος) πεφρασμένος: λύω makes λελύσθαι, λελυμένος.

COMPARATIVE VIEW

OF

THE COMMON AND HOMERIC PARADIGM.

§ 20. Active.

Indicative.

Note. These forms of the Imperf., Aor. 1. and 2., Act. and Pass., in σ_x , are found only in the persons of the Sing., and in the 3 pers. Plur. Vid. Gram. § 210. [Tr.]

Added from the Gram. + 210. c. [TR.]

τύψ -ω εις ει, &c.

Fut. 114 -10 215 21, &c.

Note. Anomalies, occasioned by the failure of the characteristic vowel, cannot conveniently be enumerated in the Paradigm. Of this sort are, ἔἰκτον, Od. 4. 27, for ἔἴκετον Præs.; ἔἴκτην, II. 1. 104, for εἰκέτην Imperf.; εἰλήλουθμεν, II. 9. 49, for εἰληλούθαμεν Perf.; ἔθμεν, (later form ἴσμεν) for ἴδαμεν, full form οἴδαμεν; ἐπέπιθμεν, II. 2. 341, for ἐπεπίθειμεν, commonly ἐπεποίθειμεν, Plusqpf.; &c. ον ἐτομεν ἐστικέν ἐστικέν Ιομίο.

τύψ -ω ωμι &c. as Aor. 2.

τετύπ -ω ωμι &c. as Aor. 2.

Aor. 1. τύψ -ω ης &c. as Aor. 2.

Perf. τετύπ -ω ης &c. as Aor. 2.

^{*} Added from the Gram., § 211. [TR.]

Imperative and Infinitive.

Fut, 2. Inf. τυπ-εῖν Fut. 1. τύψ-ειν τυπ-έειν εῖν τυψ-έμεναι έμεν ειν Perf. τέινπ-ε έτω, &c. τεινπ-έναι τέινπ-ε έιω, &c. τεινπ ξέναι έναι

Participles.

Pres.
$$r\dot{\psi}\pi i$$
 $\left\{-\omega\nu\right\}$ $\left\{-\omega\nu\right\}$

§ 30. Passive.

Indicative

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Common.
                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                Homeric.
      In the remaining persons like com.
                                                                                     In the other persons no deviation.
                                                                                                                                                                                                                      τυπτεσκ ζ -όμην εο ετο
                                                                                                                                                                                                               έτυπτεσκ
                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            3d Plur. ovto
     Perf. τέτυ 

-μμεθον φθον φθον τέτυμμαι -ψαι, &c.

-μμεθα φθε 3d Plur. τετύφαται
                                                                                      (τετυμμένοι είσί)
  Plusqpf. \dot{\epsilon}_{1} \epsilon_{1} \dot{\epsilon}_{2} \dot{\epsilon}_{3} \dot{\epsilon}_{4} \dot{\epsilon}_{4} \dot{\epsilon}_{5} \dot{\epsilon
                                                                                                     (τετυμμένοι ήσαν)
Aor. 2. \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left\{ \begin{array}{ll} -\eta \nu & \eta s & \eta & \tau \dot{\nu} \pi \\ -\eta \mu \epsilon \nu & \eta \tau \sigma \nu & \dot{\eta} \tau \eta \nu & \frac{\partial}{\partial \tau} \dot{\nu} \pi \\ -\eta \mu \epsilon \nu & \eta \tau \epsilon & \eta \sigma \alpha \nu & (q \dot{\alpha} \nu \epsilon \sigma \pi \epsilon \text{ Od. } 11.587. \text{ for } \epsilon \dot{q} \dot{\alpha} \nu \eta . \end{array} \right.
                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              vid. Gram. § 210. c.) [TR.]
     Aor. 1. \ell r \dot{\nu} \varphi \vartheta -\eta \nu \eta \varsigma, &c. like Aor. 2. \ell \dot{\nu} \dot{\varphi} \vartheta \vartheta \vartheta \vartheta \vartheta \vartheta Plur. -\eta \sigma \omega \nu or \varepsilon \nu
Αυτ. 1. ετέμω \tilde{\eta} εῖται 1 - ε \tilde{v} \mu \alpha t 2. ε\eta 3. είται 1 - ε \tilde{v} \mu \epsilon \theta 0 v 2. έεσθον 3. έεσθον 1 - ε \tilde{v} \mu \epsilon \theta \alpha t εῖσθον εῖσθον 1 - ε \tilde{v} \mu \epsilon \theta \alpha t εῖσθον εῖσθον 1 - ε \tilde{v} \mu \epsilon \theta \alpha t 2. έεσθε 3. έονται εῖσθε εὐνται
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Common.

Homeric.

τύψ $\begin{cases} 1. - ομαι & 2. εαι - η \\ 1. - ομεθον - όμεσθον \\ 1. - όμεθα & - όμεσθα \end{cases}$ Fut. 1. M. τύψ-ομαι, &c. like the Præs.

(rervy -ouas, &c. with reduplicat. vid. Gram. § 203, 10. [TR.]

Αστ. Ι. Μ. $\begin{cases} -\dot{\alpha}_{\mu\eta\nu} & \omega & ato \\ -\dot{\alpha}_{\mu\epsilon}\theta o \nu & a\sigma\theta o \nu & \dot{\alpha}\sigma\theta \eta \nu \end{cases}$ $\begin{cases} 1. -\dot{\alpha}_{\mu\eta\nu} & 2. \alpha o - \omega \\ 1. -\dot{\alpha}_{\mu\epsilon}\theta o \nu & -\dot{\alpha}_{\mu\epsilon}\theta \theta n \nu \end{cases}$ $\begin{cases} 1. -\dot{\alpha}_{\mu\eta\nu} & 2. \alpha o - \omega \\ 1. -\dot{\alpha}_{\mu\epsilon}\theta o \nu & -\dot{\alpha}_{\mu\epsilon}\theta n \nu \end{cases}$ $\begin{cases} 1. -\dot{\alpha}_{\mu\eta\nu} & 2. \alpha o - \omega \\ 1. -\dot{\alpha}_{\mu\epsilon}\theta o \nu & -\dot{\alpha}_{\mu\epsilon}\theta n \nu \end{cases}$

Subjunctive.

-Eionev Eiere

Αστ. 2. Μ. τύπ $\begin{cases} -\omega \mu \alpha \nu & \eta & \eta \tau \alpha \nu \\ -\dot{\omega} \mu \nu \theta \nu & \eta \sigma \theta \nu \nu & \eta \sigma \theta \sigma \nu \end{cases}$ $\begin{cases} 1.6 \mu \alpha \nu & 2.7 \mu \alpha - \eta \\ 1.6 \mu \nu \theta \nu & 0.00 \nu \end{cases}$ Αστ. 1. Μ. τύψ $\begin{cases} 1.6 \mu \nu \alpha \nu & 0.00 \nu \\ -\dot{\omega} \mu \nu \theta \alpha & \eta \sigma \theta \nu \end{cases}$ $\begin{cases} 1.6 \mu \nu \alpha \nu & 0.00 \nu \\ 1.6 \mu \nu \theta \alpha & 0.00 \nu \end{cases}$

Optative.

 $\text{Prass, that} \begin{cases} -oim \nu & oid & oito \\ -oim θον & oidθον & oidθην & that \\ -oim θα & oidθε & oirto \end{cases} \begin{cases} 1.-oim \nu, & & \\ 1.-oim θον & -oim εθον \\ 1.-oim θα & -oim εθα \end{cases}$ 3d Plur. ourro -ointo

Fut. 2. τυμησ $\begin{cases} -oiμην & oισ & oιτο \\ -oiμεθον οισθον οίσθην \\ -oiμεθα οισθε οιντο \end{cases}$ $\begin{cases} 1.-oiμην, &c. [θον \\ 1.-oiμεθον-oiμεσ-oiμεσ \\ 1.oiμεθα -oiμεσθα \end{cases}$ 3d Plur. ourto -oiato

Aor. 2. tva $\begin{cases} -\epsilon i\eta v & \epsilon i\eta s & \epsilon i\eta \\ -\epsilon i\eta \mu \epsilon v & \epsilon i\eta to v & \epsilon t\eta \tau \gamma v \end{cases} = tva \begin{cases} -\epsilon i\eta v, & \infty \\ 1. & \text{Plut. } \epsilon i\eta \mu \epsilon v & -\epsilon i\mu \epsilon v \end{cases}$ Aor. 1. $tvq\theta$ $\begin{cases} -\epsilon i\eta u \epsilon v & \epsilon i\eta \epsilon v & \epsilon t\eta \tau \gamma v \\ -\epsilon i\eta \mu \epsilon v & \epsilon i\eta \epsilon t & \epsilon t\eta \sigma a v & \epsilon vq\theta \end{cases}$ $\begin{cases} 2. & \epsilon i\eta \tau \epsilon & -\epsilon i\tau \epsilon \epsilon \\ 3. & \epsilon i\eta \sigma a v & -\epsilon i\epsilon v \end{cases}$

Common. Homeric. Fut. 2. M. $(-i)\mu\eta\nu$ οῖο οῖτο $(-i)\mu\theta\nu$ οῖο $(-i)\mu\theta$

Imperative.

Note. The Infinitives and Participles, not deviating in Homer from the common forms, are omitted.

CONTRACTIONS

OF THE

FINAL VOWEL OF THE ROOT AND THE MOOD VOWELS

IN THE

VERBA PURA.

§ 31. Enumeration and classification of the possible contractions in the Verba Pura.

Before the conjugation of the Aorr. Pass., together with the original and simple conjugation without Mood-vowels, can be understood, we must give a general view of the so named Contractions. The Verba Pura, for instance, whose roots end in a & o, e. g. τιμά-ω οίκε-ω γουσό-ω, undergo, in the Præs, and Imperf., especially in the Attic dialect, many changes; e. g. oixist was pronounced oixei; and youron, youroi. These changes are denominated Contractions. We must guard, however, against the notion, that the vowel which appears after the contraction has taken place, always contains the vowels which stood together before the change. When vixee is contracted into oixer, and youron into youror, who would believe that the et, in this case, besides the e and t, contains also another s, or that in the or are concealed an o n and r? Evidently, the rapid prenunciation effected such a change, that in place of the two or more vowels one only was heard, and that, too, which came the nearest to the prevailing sound. It is not, therefore, necessary to suppose, that the sound finally obtained, includes within itself the former ones, or is merely a sign of the union of those sounds. It is quite a different thing, when es in deelog is contracted into dillog and when oixes becomes oixei. In the first case, the sign z is employed, which comprehends ¿¿; in the latter, however, the se, in the rapidity of pronunciation, becomes se, the sound of which approximates to that of ee

In the Verba Pura, $(-\epsilon\omega)-\alpha\omega-\omega\omega$,) the vowels ϵ a σ are brought in immediate contact with the Mood-vowels. Besides, these Mood-vowels, when the several terminations are annexed, give birth, as we have already seen, in the several Moods &c. Act. and Pass, to the following sounds, viz. ω &t ov η η ot. Each of these, therefore, together with the simple Mood-vowels of the Ind. viz. σ &the preceded by ϵ a and σ , give all the possible cases of contraction in the Verba Pura. But ϵt and η need not be comprised in this classification; for the lota, except in a case presently mentioned, occasions no difficulty, being merely subscribed wherever it is possible; e.g. $\tau t\mu \omega \epsilon t \varepsilon \tau t \mu \omega \varepsilon$. E t and η , therefore, may be considered as equivalent to ε and η . For the contractions, then, remain, the two short vowels, the two long ones, and the two diphthongs of ε ; in their proper order, ε o η ω or ε .

§ 323 Contractions which occur in all the Persons.

| | 3- | -0 | -17 | -ω | -0 <i>t</i> | -8 |
|-------|----|----|---------------|------|-------------|----|
| 1. E. | 33 | 60 | εη | 80) | £01 | ६४ |
| 2. A. | αε | αo | $\alpha \eta$ | 0:60 | $uo\iota$ | α8 |
| 3. O. | 30 | 00 | on | οω | 001 | 08 |

1. For εε we obtain ει; for εο, ε; and ε, before the long vowels and diphthongs, disappears: e.g.

| q ίλ -εε | $q l \lambda \epsilon \iota$ | έφίλ -εον | ϵq i $\lambda e \nu$ |
|--------------|--------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------------------|
| φιλ -έη | $q \iota \lambda \tilde{\eta}$ | φιλ −έωνται | φιλώνται |
| σιλ -εοίσθην | αιλοίσθην | αιλ -έεσι | $qi\lambda \tilde{s}\sigma i$ |

2. For α with ε or η , we obtain a long α ; for α with o, ω , $o\iota$, ε , an ω . e. g.

| τίμαε | τίμα | τιμάεις | τιμῆς |
|-----------------|----------------|---------|--------|
| τιμάηται | τιμάται | τιμάης | τιμῆς |
| <i>ξτίμα</i> ον | <i>έτ</i> ίμων | τιμάωσι | τιμῶσι |
| τιμάσιμι | τιμώμι | τιμάου | τιμῶ |

3. For o with a short vowel, we obtain v; with a long one, ω ; and o, before the diphthongs ω , v, disappears: e.g.

| χουσόειν | χουσέν | χούσοον | χούσουν |
|-----------|----------|-----------|---------|
| χουσόητον | χουσώτον | χουσόωσι | χουσώσι |
| χουσόσιμι | χουσοίμι | χουσόουσα | Longege |

Note. For o, with \$\epsilon\$ or with \$\eta_i\$, we often obtain or \(\epsilon\$ e. g. \\
\text{zovoois.} \\
\text{zovoois.} \\
\text{zovoois.} \\
\text{t is evident that no other contraction is possible}

§ 33. On the Homeric Contractions.

The Verba pura, in Homer, must be regarded in a two-fold point of view.

- 1. As inclining to the uncontracted and open forms. In consequence of this, the contraction does not take place, when ε is followed by ω η η ω or ε, when ο is followed by ω η η οι or ε, when ο is followed by οι η, and when α is followed by η or η. In the other cases, the uncontracted or open forms and the contracted, are sometimes found together; e.g. προσεφώνεε and προσεφώνει.
- 2. Such forms alone are constructed as are permitted by the Hexameter verse. A great liberty is used, therefore, in regard to the inflections. For instance, where the Hexameter demands it, & is frequently lengthened into \$\epsilon\$; e.g. q\epsilon-\epsilon\epsilon-\epsilon\epsilon-\epsilon\epsilon-\epsilon\epsilon-\epsilon\epsilon\epsilon-\epsilon\epsilon+\epsilon\epsilon-\epsilon\eppilon-\epsilon\eppilon-\eppilon\epsilon\eppilon-\eppilon-\eppilon\eppilon-\ep - \(\ell_{15} - \ell_{17} : \) and the contracted forms are modified to suit the verse, so that in verbs in am, the vowel of the root, or one of the contracted vowels, is lengthened at pleasure before the contracted syllable. In this manner, raistavou (raistavou is at variance with the Hexameter verse) may become raterauga and raterouga, So ύραντα gives όρωσα and όρύωσα; ζάνεσα gives ζώσα and ζώωσα (Somou is not adapted to the Hexameter verse.) So also, praco-Dat, praodat, praaodat, yelaste yela yelage. The contraction of so into se, which does not take place, however, in the 2d pers. Sing, Imperf. and Aor. 2. M., is somewhat anomalous. Thus recκέυυσε (from rεικεστεσε) in Homer, becomes rεικεύσε. In the 3d pers. Plur, Imperf., such forms as έπορθουν ανερφίατουν, undergo the usual contraction of so into or Having premised thus much. all the cases of contraction occurring in Homer, in the Verba pura. may easily be explained in the following Paradigm.

§ 34. Active.

Verba Pura in -εω.

Indicative Pras.

| | Full form. | Attic. | | Homeric. | |
|--------|---------------------------|---|---------------------------------------|--|---------------------------------|
| S. quh | -έω | $-\tilde{\omega}$ | $-\epsilon'\omega$ | -είω | |
| | -έεις | | -έεις | -81815 | -EĨS |
| | -έει | $-\epsilon \tilde{\iota}$ | -έει | -είει | $-\varepsilon \tilde{\iota}$ |
| D. | -έετον | -εĩτο <i>ν</i> | -έετον | -είετον | -εῖτον |
| P. | -έομεν | $-o\tilde{v}\mu \epsilon v$ | -έομεν | -είομεν | -εῦμεν |
| | -έετε | - εîτ ε | -έετε | -είετε | -εῖτε |
| | -έουσι | -οῦσι | -έουσι | $-\epsilon \tilde{v} \sigma \iota$ | |
| | | | | | |
| | | | Subjunctive. | | |
| S. gih | $-\epsilon'\omega$ | $-\tilde{\omega}$ | -έω | -είω | |
| | $-\epsilon'\eta\varsigma$ | $-\widetilde{\eta}_{\mathcal{G}}$ $-\widetilde{\eta}$ | | $-\epsilon i \eta \varsigma - \epsilon \eta$ | |
| | $-\epsilon'\eta$ | $-\tilde{\eta}$ | -ėŋ - | -έησι –είη | $-\epsilon i \eta \sigma \iota$ |
| D. | -έητον | $-\tilde{\eta}\tau o\nu$ | -ε'ητον | -είετον | |
| P. | -έωμεν | $-\tilde{\omega}\mu \epsilon \nu$ | $-\dot{\epsilon}\omega\mu\epsilon\nu$ | -είομεν | |
| | -έητε | $-\tilde{\eta}\tau\varepsilon$ | -έητε | -είετε | |
| | -έωσι | $-\omega\sigma\iota$ | -έωσι | | |
| | | | Optative. | | |
| S. qıl | -έοιμι | -οῖμι | -έοιμι | $-oi\eta\nu$ | |
| y | -6003 | | -έοις | | |
| | -έοι | $-o\tilde{\iota}$ | -έοι | -oin | |
| D. | -έοιτον | | -έοιτον | | |
| - | -εοίτην | | -εοίτην | | |
| Р. | -έοιμεν | | -έοιμεν | | |
| | -έοιτε | -οῖτε | -έοιτε | | |
| | έοιεν | -oĩev | -έοιεν | | |
| | | | | | |
| | | | Imperative. | | |
| S. all | -22 | -51 | -55 | -84 | |

| S. gil | -88 | -81 | 33- | -80 |
|--------|----------|----------------|----------|----------|
| | -ε έτω | -είτω | -εέτω | -είτω |
| D. | -έετον | -ε <i>îτον</i> | -έετον | -εῖτον |
| | -εέτων | -είτων | -εέτων | -είτων |
| Ρ. | -έετε | -εῖτε | -έετε | -εῖτε |
| | -εέτωσαν | -είτωσαν | -εέτωσαν | -είτωσαν |

Infinitive.

| | Full form. | Attic. | Hon | Homeric. | |
|------|------------|---------------------------|----------|----------|--|
| gel. | -8860 | $-\epsilon \tilde{i} \nu$ | - 6812 | - e î v | |
| | | | -riusvac | -1,100 | |

Participle.

Indicative Imperf.

VERBA PURA IN -aco.

Indicative Prus.

| S. riji | -((() | $-\tilde{\omega}$ | -ám | -(i) | -óm | $-\omega'\omega$ |
|---------|---------|-------------------|--------|------------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------|
| | -4815 | -43 | -4815 | -803 | -uus | -aus |
| | -456 | - çã | -481 | - çç | -cece | -aa |
| Đ. | -115800 | -0100 | -úerov | -arov | - ийтог | |
| Р. | -temper | -muev | -αομεν | $-\tilde{\omega}_{\mu\epsilon\nu}$ | $-\omega\omega\mu \epsilon \nu$ | -wwiter |
| | -4818 | -018 | -uere | -0078 | -uare | |
| | -001.01 | -1000 | -00000 | -1001 | -0000 | -0000 |

Subjunctive.

-awai

Optative.

| | Full form. | Attic. | | Homeric. | |
|--------|-----------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------|----------------------------------|---------|
| S. TIM | -άοιμι | $-i\tilde{\varrho}\mu\iota$ | -άοιμι | $-\tilde{\omega}\mu\iota$ | -όωμι |
| | $-\alpha o \iota \varsigma$ | -မ်ာ့ငှ | -0.015 | $-i\tilde{\wp}\varsigma$ | |
| | -άοι | -(p | $-\alpha'o\iota$ | $-\tilde{\varphi}$ | |
| D. | -άοιτον | -ώτον | -άοιτον | | -όφιτον |
| | -αοίτην | -ώτην | -αοίτην | | |
| Р. | -άοιμεν | $-\tilde{\omega}\mu \varepsilon \nu$ | -άοιμεν | | -δωμεν |
| | -άοιτε | $-\tilde{\omega}\tau\varepsilon$ | -άοιτε | $-\tilde{\omega}\tau\varepsilon$ | -00018 |
| | -αοιεν | -6582 | -άοιεν | -ဟိုနေ | -6 ωεν |
| | | | | | |

Imperative.

Infinitive.

$$\tau \iota \mu$$
 $- \dot{\alpha} \epsilon \iota \nu$ $- \ddot{\alpha} \nu$ $- \dot{\alpha} \dot{\epsilon} \iota \nu$ $- \ddot{\alpha} \nu$ $- \dot{\alpha} \dot{\alpha}$

Participle.

Indicative Imperf.

3 Plur. -ov

VERBA PURA IN -00.

Indicat. Pras.

| Full form. | Attic. | Homeric. | | |
|------------|--|--|---|--|
| -00 | ~(j) | -00 | - 0) | |
| -0819 | -013 | -0813 | -015 | |
| -081 | -01 | -086 | -01 | |
| -08100 | -oirov | -0810V | -ovrov | |
| -iouev | -ornev | -úouev | -อกันยา | |
| -0218 | -0718 | -0818 | -01118 | |
| -001:01 | -ขนับเ | -00000 | | |
| | | | | |
| | -600 -6215 -621 -6210V -6042V -6212 | -600 -00 -6665 -015 -661 -01 -6610V -0170V -6946V -0146V -6666 -0156 | $ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$ | |

Subjunctive.

| S. Syl. | -úai | -(i) | -όω | |
|---------|-------------------------------------|---------|---------|--------|
| | -075 | -073 | -07,5 | -04000 |
| | -011 | -07 | -on | -07,01 |
| D. | -onrov | -wrov | -01,000 | |
| ₽. | $-\dot{o}\omega_{\mu \epsilon \nu}$ | -ciller | -σωμεν | |
| | $-\dot{o}_{I_{\ell}T\mathcal{E}}$ | -0118 | -01,78 | |
| | -varot | -0,00 | -0000 | |
| | | | | |

Optative.

| S. Snl | -oniai | -oius | -ooini |
|--------|---------|--------|---------|
| | -6015 | -013 | -0015 |
| | - not | -01 | -001 |
| D. | -000100 | -oirov | -dorror |
| | -ouirny | -oirnv | -ouir,v |
| Р. | -ootusv | -viuev | -oother |
| | -inite | -vîre | -ours |
| | OULEV | -11152 | -00152 |

Imperative.

| S. Six | =0.8 | -13 | 30- | U |
|--------|----------|-----------------------|-----------|---------|
| | 08100 | -410 | -0810 | -810 |
| D. | -08100 | $-\tilde{u}_{I}u_{V}$ | -oerov | -Brov |
| | -051000 | -it wv | -oérwr | -81 WY |
| P. | -11818 | -918 | -0818 | -818 |
| | -utimouv | -urwowy | -08100000 | -810000 |

Infinitive.

| 2 1 | 9 | | , |
|------|-------|------|-------|
| Sinh | -086V | - UV | -0812 |

Participle.

| | Full form. | Attic. | Homerio. |
|-----|------------------|---------------------------|---------------------|
| dnh | -όων | $-\tilde{\omega}\nu$ | $-\dot{o}\omega\nu$ |
| | -όουσα | $-o\tilde{v}\sigma\alpha$ | -όουσα |
| | $-\acute{o}o\nu$ | $-o\tilde{v}\nu$ | $-\acute{o}o\nu$ |

Indicat. Imperf.

| S. ¿δήλ | -000 | -ουν | -00v | |
|---------|--------|-------------------------------|------------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| | -089 | -009 | -088 | -008 |
| | -08 | -ov | -08 | -00 |
| D. | -όετον | $-o\tilde{v}\tau o\nu$ | -όετον | -0000 |
| | -οέτην | -ούτην | -οέιην | $-o\dot{v}\tau_{i}\nu$ |
| P. | -όομεν | -οῦμεν | -οομεν | $-o\tilde{v}\mu \epsilon v$ |
| | -όειε | $-o\tilde{v}\tau \varepsilon$ | $-o' \varepsilon \tau \varepsilon$ | -οῦτε |
| | -00ν | -ovv | -00v | $-ov\nu$ |
| | | | | |

Note. Many forms of the the verb in -οω, which occur in Homer, made by protracting o before the Ultimate or Penultimate, have been omitted by the Author; regarding them perhaps, as examples of that poetical license, which shortens or lengthens a syllable at pleasure to accommodate the form to the measure of the verse. Examples of such forms, both in the Act. and Pass., are ἰδρώοντα, II. 18.372. ἰδρώονται, II. 8.543. ὑπνώονταις, II. 24.344. Od. 5.48. χώεται, II. 20.29. χώειο, Od. 5.215. χώειο, II. 21.306· ῥώοντο, II. 11.50. πλώοιεν, Od. 5.240, &c. [Tr.]

§ 35. Passive.

VERBA PURA IN -εομαι.

| S. gil | -201101 | $-\tilde{\epsilon}\mu\alpha\iota$ | -έομαι | -εὖμαι |
|--------|---|-----------------------------------|-------------|--|
| | $-\epsilon'\eta$ | $-\widetilde{\eta}$ | -(éeai) -én | -eĩai -eai |
| | -έεται | -EITOL | -έεται | -εἶται |
| D. | -εόμεθον | -ɵεθον | -εύμεθον | -εόμεσθον |
| | $-\epsilon\epsilon\sigma\vartheta\sigma\nu$ | -εĩσθο ν | -έεσθον | -εῖσθον |
| P | -εόμεθα | -έμεθα | -εύμεθα | -εόμεσθα |
| | $-\epsilon' \epsilon \sigma \vartheta \epsilon$ | - εĩσθε | -έεσθε | $-\varepsilon \tilde{\imath} \sigma \vartheta \varepsilon$ |
| | -έονται | $-\tilde{s}_{\nu}\tau\alpha\iota$ | -éovrav | -εῦνται |

Subjunctive.

| | Full form. | Attic. | Homeric. | |
|---------|---|-------------------------------------|---|-------------------|
| | - έη | - 17 | $-\epsilon \eta \alpha i$ | |
| | Éntar | -7,100 | $-\dot{\epsilon}_{I_{i}}\tau\alpha\iota$ | |
| D. | -Ewinedov | -onedov | - supetov | |
| | -έησθον | - notov | -ย์นุสปิงห | |
| P. | - suine () a | -wuesta | - Ewine fra | |
| | -64,000 | -7,002 | -61,608 | |
| | $-\varepsilon'\omega v \tau \omega \iota$ | $-\omega v \iota \alpha \iota$ | - invrai | |
| | | Opto | itive. | |
| S. gil | -80/101 | $-\nu i\mu \eta \nu$ | -eoluge | |
| | -6010 | -010 | -Euto | |
| | -60110 | -oiro | -Éatro | |
| D. | -suinstov | -oinstor | -Evint Por | |
| | -2010000 | -oindov | -toragor | |
| | - εσίσθην | -viodny | -ευίσθην | |
| P. | -evineda | -vinsda | -εσίμεθα | |
| | -έσεσθε | -01008 | -έσισθε | |
| | -601270 | -virro | -601410 | |
| | | Imper | rative. | |
| S. qu. | - έ(, υ | -00 | | Seio II. 21. 503. |
| 0. 4 | - 220000 | $-\epsilon i\sigma \partial \omega$ | -8800 w | - £ i σ θ ω |
| D. | -éec dur | - £1000v | -650000 | - Figtor |
| | 4100033 | -είσθων | $-\varepsilon\varepsilon\sigma\vartheta\omega\nu$ | -ะได้สิงพ |
| P. | -68008 | -81008 | -88008 | -81000 |
| | | - eio O wour | | -είσθωσαι |
| | | | itive. | |
| αιλ | -ie 00 ai | -ะเัดอิเน | -i's a ? a . | -ะเิดอินะ |
| ,, | | | | |
| | | Part | iciple. | |
| 11 th | -8048103 | -6418103 | -Equeros | -811118103 |
| | | Indicat. | Impert. | |
| S. Egil | -Edur | -bun,v | $-\epsilon a_{i}\alpha_{i}\nu$ | -Evienv |
| | -éou | -011 | (880) | -211) |
| | -5-510 | -Firn | -8110 | -81880 |
| D. | -горедог | - 1. 11 + 1 to V | $-\varepsilon v v \varepsilon \partial \alpha v$ | |
| | -8800 100 | -รโตภิยท | = Esubar | -sintrar |
| | -2200 190 | -siadny | -880 i) 1, V | - ¿ (o i) 1, 1 |

| | | VERBA PO | JRA. | 9.1 |
|--------|---------------------|---|---|---------|
| | Full form. | Attic. | Homeric. | |
| Р. | -εόμεθα | -έμεθα | | ύμεθα |
| | −έεσθε | -είσθε | $-\dot{\epsilon}\dot{\epsilon}\sigma\partial\dot{\epsilon}$ $-\dot{\epsilon}$ | ĩσθε |
| | -έοντο | $-\tilde{s}\nu\tau o$ | -έοντο -ε | ῦντο |
| | | VERBA PURA IN | | |
| | | Indicat. I | • | |
| S. τιμ | -άομαι | -ώμαι | τως. −άομαι | -ώμαι |
| D. etp | $-\alpha \eta$ | -ii | -αεαι | -ospear |
| | -άεται | $-\alpha \tau \alpha \iota$ | -άεται - αται | -άαται |
| D. | -αέμα -αόμεθον | -ωιαι -ώμεθον | $-\alpha \dot{\nu} \dot{\nu} \dot{\nu} \dot{\nu} \dot{\nu} \dot{\nu} \dot{\nu} \dot{\nu}$ | |
| D. | -αομευον -άεσθον | -ωμευον -ᾶσθον | -άεσθον -ασθον | |
| P. 1 | | | | |
| г. | -αόμεθα | -ώμεθα ~- 0 | -αόμεθα -ώμεθι | |
| | -άεσθε | $-\tilde{\alpha}\sigma\vartheta\varepsilon$ | -άεσθε -ᾶσθε | |
| | -άονται | -ώνται | -άονται -ῶνται | -όωνται |
| | | Subjunct | ive. | |
| S. τιμ | -άωμαι | -ώμαι | -άωμαι | |
| | $-\alpha \eta$ | $-\tilde{\alpha}$ | $-\alpha i \eta$ | |
| | -άηται | $-\tilde{\alpha}\tau\alpha\iota$ | $-\alpha\eta\tau\alpha\iota$ | |
| D | -αώμεθον | -ώμεθον | -αώμεθον | |
| | -άησθον | $-\tilde{\alpha}\sigma\vartheta o\nu$ | $-\alpha \eta \sigma \vartheta \sigma \nu$ | |
| P. | -αώμεθα | -ώμεθα | -αώμεθα | |
| | -άησθε | $-\tilde{\alpha}\sigma\vartheta\varepsilon$ | $-\alpha \eta \sigma \vartheta \varepsilon$ | |
| | -άωνται | $-\tilde{\omega}\nu\tau\alpha\iota$ | -άωνται | |
| | | Optativ | e. | |
| S. τιμ | -αοίμην | $-\omega \mu \eta \nu$ | $-\alpha o(\mu \eta v - \phi \mu \eta v)$ | -οώμην |
| | -άοιο | $-\tilde{\omega}o$ | -άοιο -ῷο | -όωο |
| | -άοιτο | $-\tilde{\omega}\tau_0$ | -άοιτο -ῷτο | -όωτο |
| D. | -αοίμεθον | | -αοίμεθον -ώμεθ | οώμεθ. |
| | -άοισθον | -ῶσθον | -άοισθον -ώσθ. | |
| | -aolognv | -ώσθημ | ασίσθην -ώσθ. | |
| P. | -αυίμεθα | -6,4890 | -aolueda -wued | * |
| | -άοισθε | -ώσθε | -άοισθε -ώσθ. | -όωσθ. |
| | -άοιντο | -ώντο | -άοιντο -ῶντο -ώ | |
| | | | , | • |

Imperative.

-ω (αεο) -εῦ -ω -όω
-ἀσθω -αάσθω -αάσθω
-ασθω -αάσθω -αάσθω -άου S. TIM $-\alpha\sigma\vartheta\omega$ -αέσθω -ασθον -άεσθον -ᾶσθον -άασθον D. -άεσθον

| | Full form. | Attic. | Homeric. | |
|-----|------------|-------------|---------------------|---------|
| | -afoltory | -นักซ์เลง | -แย้งขึ้นง -แ้งขึ้น | υν |
| P. | -úεσθε | - ũσθε | -น่ะดอะ -ฉัดอะ - | άασθε |
| | -αέσθωσαν | -άσθωσαν | -aiodwoav -aod | wouv |
| | | Infinitive. | | |
| rin | -άεσθαι | -นึงขนเ | -น่ะธอนะ -ลืธอนะ | -άασθαι |
| | | Participle | | |

τιμ - αόμενος - ώμενος - αύμενος - οώμενος

Indicat. Imperf.

S. ετιμ
$$-αόμην$$
 $-αίμην$ $-αόμην$ $-αόμην$ $-αόμην$ $ασο$ $αεο$ $αεο$

VERBA PURA IN -00 µai.

Indicat. Pras.

| S. Snl | -όομαι | -ซิแนเ | -ύομαι | - มีและ |
|--------|----------|-----------------------------------|--------------|--------------------------------------|
| | -óŋ | -01 | ό εαι | -óŋ |
| | -ύεται | $-\tilde{s}\tau\alpha\iota$ | -0'87666 | $-\tilde{\epsilon}\imath u\iota$ |
| D. | -ούμεθον | -έμεθον | -00/118000 | -ยุนะคิงข |
| | -ύεσθον | $-\tilde{u}\sigma\theta\sigma\nu$ | -ύεσθον | $-\tilde{u}_0\theta_0\nu$ |
| P. | -υόμεθα | -ம்புச்பிம் | -ούμεθα | $-\dot{s}\mu\varepsilon\theta\alpha$ |
| | -08008 | -2008 | -68008 | -817878 |
| | -vortat | $-\tilde{u}v\tau\alpha\iota$ | -0'0 r e a e | -virat |

Subjunctive.

| S. Srik | -οωμαι | -wince | -ύωμαι |
|---------|-----------|----------|-------------------|
| | $-o'\eta$ | -01 | $-\acute{o}_{ij}$ |
| | -oritae | - inrae | -onrae |
| D. | -umuellov | -ώμεθον | -0648001 |
| | -01,0000 | -พิธยา | -όησθον |
| P | -οώμεθα | -whether | -οιόμεθα |

-εσθαι

 $-\tilde{\varepsilon}\sigma\theta\varepsilon$

 $-\tilde{s}\nu\tau o$

VERBA PURA.

| Full form. -όησθε -όωνται | Attic. $-\tilde{\omega}\sigma\theta\varepsilon$ $-\tilde{\omega}\nu\tau\alpha\iota$ | Homeric. -όησθε -όωνται | CALLEDS |
|---------------------------------|---|-------------------------------|---------|
|---------------------------------|---|-------------------------------|---------|

Optative.

| S. $\delta\eta\lambda$ | -οοίμην | $-oi\mu\eta\nu$ | -οοίμην |
|------------------------|----------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|
| | -0010 | -oio | -0000 |
| | -όοιτο | -oĩto | -όοιτο |
| D. | -οοίμεθον | -οίμεθον | -οοίμεθον |
| | -όοισθον | -οῖσθον | -όοισθον |
| | $-oolo\theta\eta\nu$ | $-ol\sigma\theta\eta\nu$ | $-oolo\theta\eta\nu$ |
| P. | -οοίμεθα | -οίμεθα | -οοίμεθα |
| | -όοισθε | -οῖσθε | · -σοισθε |
| | -601110 | -οῖντο | -όοιντο |
| | | | |

Snl

-όεσθε

-60220

Imperative.

| S. Snl | -óov | $-\tilde{s}$ | (080) | |
|--------|-----------|--|-----------|---|
| | -οέσθω | $-\dot{\epsilon}\sigma\theta\omega$ | -οέσθω | -έσθω |
| D. | -όεσθον | $-\tilde{\varepsilon}\sigma\theta o\nu$ | -όεσθον | $-\tilde{s}\sigma\theta o\nu$ |
| | -οέσθων | -έσθων | -οέσθων | -έσθων |
| P. | -όεσθε | $-\tilde{\varepsilon}\sigma\vartheta\varepsilon$ | -όεσθε | $-\tilde{\varepsilon}\sigma\theta\varepsilon$ |
| | -οέσθωσαν | -έσθωσαν | -οέσθωσαν | -έσθωσαν |
| | | | | |

Infinitive. -όεσθαι -ἕσθαι

-όεσθαι

-όεσθε

-όοντο

| | | Partic | iple. | |
|---------------------|---|---|----------|--|
| $\delta\eta\lambda$ | -οόμενος | -8'μενος | -οόμενος | -έμενος |
| | | Indicat. | Imperf. | |
| S. ἐδηλ | $-o\delta\mu\eta\nu$ | $-\dot{s}\mu\eta\nu$ | -οόμην | $-\dot{\epsilon}'\mu\eta\nu$ |
| | -óov | - e | (080) | |
| | -όετο | - <i>ẽ</i> το | -όετο | -870 |
| D. | -οόμεθον | -έμεθον | -οόμεθον | -εμεθον |
| | $-\delta \varepsilon \sigma \theta o \nu$ | $-\tilde{\varepsilon}\sigma\theta o\nu$ | ∽όεσθον | $-\ddot{\varepsilon}\sigma\theta o\nu$ |
| | -οέσθην | $-\acute{\epsilon}\sigma\theta\eta\nu$ | - οέσθην | -εσθην |
| P. | -οόμεθα | -έμεθα | -οόμεθα | -έμεθα |

 $-\tilde{\varepsilon}\sigma\theta\varepsilon$

 $-\tilde{s}\nu\tau o$

CONJUGATION OF VERBS

WITHOUT MOOD-VOWELS.

§ 36. Conjugation of the .lorr. Passive.

We come now to the Conjugation without Mood-vowels, so called, because, from the failure of the Mood-vowels, almost all the deviations from the general rule, in the preceding Paradigm, are to be explained. This Paradigm, arranged according to an arbitrary classification, can with difficulty be remembered; but, when its principles are developed and explained, it is understood in a very short time, and deeply impressed on the memory. To commence with the Aorr, of the Pass, which the Paradigm presented in § 29 has anticipated. If we compare the Ind. Eriq One with the Opt. req-Osing, and Erwang with reasing, it is obvious that the Ground-forms of the Tenses are reg be and rene, to which, in order to form the Aorr., the Terminations of the Secondary tenses of the Act. are subjoined, viz. Sing. 1. -ν 2. -σ 3.—Dual 1. -μεν. 2. -τον 3. -την Plur. 1.-ner 2.-re 3.-aur. These terminations, in case the Moodvowel fails, are annexed immediately to the Ground-form, which, in the Indicat. Imperat, and Infin., lengthens the final vowel, e.g. έτισθην-έτισθησαν from rug θε; έξην-έξησαν from ça. Observe first the conjugation.

Indicat. Subjunct. Subjunct.
$$\frac{\delta i \sin \delta}{\delta i \psi g} = \frac{\delta - \eta_{ij}}{\delta - \eta_{ij} a \varepsilon \nu} - \frac{\eta_{ij}}{\eta_{ij} \varepsilon \nu} - \frac{\eta_{ij}}{\eta_{i$$

The Subjunct, has its Mood-vowels, but is usually found in the contracted form; e.g. τεπέω τετώ, τεπέρς τεπός; θεω (from θε) θέης θεη, θῶ θῆς θῆ, in Homer θείω θείης θείη with the protracted ε, as in η ελείω-είης &c.

The Optat. takes after the Ground-form an ι , and subjoins the terminations of the Indicat, viz. 1.- $\eta\nu$ 2.- $\eta\varepsilon$ 3.- η . Dual. 1.- $\eta\mu\epsilon\nu$ 2.- $\eta\tau\sigma\nu$ 3.- $\eta\tau\eta\nu$. Plur. 1.- $\eta\mu\epsilon\nu$ 2.- $\eta\tau\epsilon$ 3.- $\eta\sigma\mu\nu$; e. g. $\tau\nu\eta\theta\epsilon$ - ι - $\eta\nu$ $\tau\nu\eta\theta\epsilon$ l $\eta\nu$, $\tau\iota\theta\epsilon$ - $\tau\iota\theta\epsilon$ l $\eta\nu$, $\theta\epsilon$ - $\theta\epsilon$ l $\eta\nu$, $\sigma\tau\mu$ - $\sigma\tau\mu$ l $\eta\nu$, &c.

The Imperative has the terminations of the Act., and in the 2. Sing. retains the θ_t which in the Act. is dropped; e. g. Sing. 2. $-\theta_t$ 3. $-\tau\omega$. Dual 2. $-\tau\omega$ 3. $-\tau\omega\nu$. Plur. 2. $\tau\epsilon$ 3. $-\tau\omega\sigma\omega\nu$. In some few verbs, e. g. in $\sigma\tau\alpha$ ($\sigma\tau\eta_t\mu$.) the vowel is lengthened, ($\sigma\tau\alpha\theta t$) τ_t^0 τ_t^0 ; in other cases, it is short, e. g. $\delta\iota\delta\sigma$ $\delta\iota\delta\sigma\vartheta_t$, is τ_t^0 is τ_t^0 is τ_t^0 . &c.

When another ϑ precedes, the last is changed into the corresponding Tenuis or smooth mute, for the sake of euphony, e. g. τυς θηθι τύς θητι, τιθεθι τίθετι.

The lognit. in-raι has generally in other cases, the vowel preceding the -raι short. In the Aorr. Pass., however, τυπῆναι λεχθῆναι, and in στῆναι &c. the vowel is long, but in τιθέναι ίσταναι &c. short.

The terminations of the Participles are evidently-ντζ-ντσα-ντζ. Hence, when the Ground-form is added, and the whole form reduced, from τυφθεντς, τυφθεντα, τυφθεντς, we obtain τυφθείς -εῖσα -ἐν. In the Neuter, τς is rejected to obtain a form different from the Masculine. In the same manner, δο δοντς, δές -ἔσα -ὀν; στα σταντς, στάς στᾶσα στάν; δειχνυ δειχνυντς, δειχνύς νσα ὑν.

§ 37. The Active without Mood-vowels.

The conjugation without Mood-vowels, which is also the original conjugation, has been preserved in the Verba~Pura, commonly those with monosyllabic roots in- ε - α -o, and in others of more than one syllable in v; e.g. $ga~g\eta\mu l$, $\delta\varepsilon\iota x\nu\nu~\delta\varepsilon ix\nu\nu\mu\iota$. In the uncultivated dialects this was the case in Verba~Pura of every kind; e.g. $\delta g\dot{\alpha}\omega~\delta g\eta\mu\iota$, $\varphi o\beta\dot{\epsilon}\omega~g\dot{\delta}\eta\mu\iota$, &c. Under this conjugation are included in the Act., the Præs. Imperf. and Aor. 2., and in the Pass., the Præs. Imperf. and Aor. 2. M. In addition to the remarks in the preceding Paragraph, some few observations are here necessary.

We employ the verbs $q \acute{\alpha} - \omega$, $\delta \epsilon \iota \varkappa \nu \dot{\nu} - \omega$, $\delta \acute{e} - \omega$, $\delta \acute{e} - \omega$, $\delta \acute{e} - \omega$, whose roots are $q \alpha$, $\delta \epsilon \iota \varkappa \nu \nu$, $\sigma \iota \alpha$, $\dot{\epsilon}$, δo , $\delta \epsilon$. Many of these are increased, in the Præs. and Imperf., by prefixing an ι , which, when possible,

is preceded by the first consonant of the root; e.g. $\sigma\iota a$, $\dot{\epsilon}$, δa , $\vartheta\epsilon$; $i\sigma\iota a$, $i\epsilon$, $\delta\iota \delta a$, $\iota\iota \partial \epsilon$, (not $\sigma\iota \sigma\iota a$ $\vartheta\iota \vartheta\epsilon$.)

1. Pras. In the Sing, the terminations are irregular, 1. -μι, 2. -ς, 3. -σι. The vowels are lengthened before these terminations; e.g. qη-μί, δείχνν-μι, ἴστη-μι, ἴη-μι, δίδω-μι, τίθη-μι -ης -ησι. The conjugation then proceeds regularly through the remaining perss, with the usual terminations, viz. Dual -μεν-τον -τον Plur. -μεν -ιε -ντσι; e.g. qα-μέν qα-τόν qα-τόν qα-μέν qα-τέ (qα-ντσι) qασί. The 3 perss. Plur are qαντσι, δείχννντσι, ίστων-τσι, ίεντσι, διόσντσι, τιθεντσι. From these original forms, the ντ may be rejected, and then we have the common forms qασί δείχνδι ίστῶσι ἐεῖσι διόδωτ τιθεῖσι. The Ionians and Attics received frequently in the 3 Plur, an α in place of ν as in qνησίατο for qυγοίντο. If in the forms here under consideration, besides the reception of α for ν, we reject the τ before σ, we have the Ionic-Attic forms, δειχενίασι ἐεῖσι διόδωσι τεθέωσι.

Note. Many of the Verba pura, with roots of more than one syllable, form this Præs. by subjoining -νννμ, e.g. πετάω πετάνννιμ, σχεδάω σχεδάνννιμ; Mutes and Liquids by the addition of -νννμ, e.g. δρέγ-νννμ δείχ-ννμι οίγ-νννμι.

2. Imperf. and Aor. Both tenses have the terminations of the Aorr. Pass., but the vowels are lengthened only in the Singular. The difference between these two tenses consists only in this, that the Imperf. is formed by the aid of the prefixes -ι -δι -τι; the Aor., however, is formed from the unaltered root; e.g. Imperf. ἐδιόων, from διαι; Αοτ. ἔδων, from διαι γ. When this fails, as in q. ημί, both tenses cannot be formed. The conjugation is as follows;

Imperf. $\delta\delta\delta\delta\omega\nu$ $\left\{-\omega\varsigma\right\}$ ω D. $-\sigma\tau\sigma\nu$ P. $-\sigma\mu\epsilon\nu$ $\sigma\tau\epsilon$ $\sigma\sigma\sigma\nu$

Note 1. Many verba pura, which otherwise belong to the conjugation with the Mood-vowel, form also the Aor. 2. in this manner; e. g. δύ-ω, ἔδυν — ἔδυσαν; βαίνω, from βα, ἔβην; γιγνώσχω, from γιο, ἔγνων.

Note 2. That the Moods are formed in the manner described when treating of the Aorr. Pass., has been already hinted; and here also, the prefix distinguishes between the Prass, and Aor.

Subjunct. Optat. Imperat. Infin. Particip. Præs. $\tau\iota\vartheta\tilde{\omega}$ $\tau\iota\vartheta\epsilon i\eta\nu$ $\tau\iota\vartheta\epsilon i\tau$ $\tau\iota\vartheta\epsilon$

Note 3. All the remaining tenses are formed, in the usual manner, from the root, by the aid of the Mood-vowels; e. g. δο, δώσω, δέδωκα, &c. Irregular are from τίθημι, the Aor. 1. Act. ἔθηκα, Μ. ἐθηκάμην, Perf. Act. τέθεικα, Pass. τέθειμαι, Plusqpf. ἔτεθείμην; from δίδωμι, Aor. 1. Act. ἔδωκα, Μ. ἐδωκάμην.

§ 38. The Passive without Mood-vowels.

The Pass, here has no peculiar terminations, but those merely of the Conjugation with Mood-vowels. But, as the terminations are subjoined immediately to the Ground-forms, the Conjugation proceeds with regularity, and calls for but few additional observations. 1. This conjugation extends itself only to the Præs. and Imperf., and in some verbs, to the Aorr. 2. M. The remaining tenses have the Mood-vowels, e. g. $\tau i\theta \epsilon - \mu u \iota - \sigma u \iota - \tau u \iota$, &c. $\epsilon \iota \iota \theta \epsilon - \mu u \iota - \sigma u \iota - \tau \iota$, &c. $\epsilon \iota \iota \iota \theta \epsilon - \mu u \iota - \tau \iota u$, kc. $\epsilon \iota \iota \iota \theta \epsilon - \mu u \iota - \tau \iota u$, kc. at the Aor. can be found only where the prefixes $\epsilon \iota \iota \theta \iota - \tau \iota$ are admissible, which distinguish the Imperf. from the Aor.

- 2. In the 2d. perss., the σ is generally retained; it is dropped in some instances in the Imperf. and in the Imperat., and frequently in the Optat; e. g. from ἴστημαι, Imperat. ἴστασο, more frequently ἴστω; Optat. ἰσταῖο, &c.
- 3. The Subjunct, is found here also with the Mood-vowel and contracted; e. g. τιθέωμαι, τιθώμαι; τιθέη, τιθή; τιθέηται, τιθήται. But in the contraction here, there is this peculiar: y that on becomes ω; and αη, η; e. g. διδόωμαι διδωμαι, διδόη διδώ, διδόηται διδωται, ίσταη ίστη. The same is true in the Act.
- 4. Moreover, many of the Verba Pura follow the analogy of this conjugation in the Pass. only, and in the Act. have the regular Mood-vowels; e. g. πέταμαι, πέτα -μαι -σαι -ται; δύναμαι -σαι -ται. In the same manner, κεῖμαι, δίζημαι, οἴμαι, Ιπρετ. οἤμην, &c.

§ 39. Paradigm of the Active.

The Homeric do not differ frequently from the common forms. In the Passive, if we except the frequent omission of the Augment

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and the uncontracted form of the Aor. Imperat. Dio, σύνθεο, the common and Homeric forms coincide.

Indicat. Pras.

| S. 7 | id -nu di | ð-our | 15 - nui |
|------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|----------|
| | -ης Hom. ησθα | -ως 11. οις οιςθα | -1,5 |
| | -1,00 | -ωσι Η. οι | -1,00 |
| D. | $-\varepsilon\mu\varepsilon\nu$ | -ouev | -ausv |
| | -810V | -0101 | -ccrov |
| P. | $-\varepsilon\mu\varepsilon\nu$ | -ομεν | -anev |
| | -818 | -078 | -478 |
| | -8101 | $-\tilde{u}\sigma\iota$ | - ασι |
| | | | |

Subjunctive.

Sid -oinv

Optative.

is -ainv

Imperative.

Infinitive.

Indicat. Imperf.

| S. Et | 19 -nv | έδίδ -ων | ϊστ -ην |
|-------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------------|
| | -119 | $-\omega\varsigma$ | $-\eta\varsigma$ |
| | -η Ηει | -ω H. ου | -η Ηασκε |
| D. | $-\varepsilon\mu\varepsilon\nu$ | -ομεν | -αμεν |
| | -ετον | -οτον | $-\alpha \tau_0 \nu$ |
| | $-\dot{\epsilon}\tau\eta\nu$ | $-\acute{o}\tau\eta\nu$ | $-\dot{\alpha}\tau\eta\nu$ |
| Ρ. | -εμεν | -0μεν | -αμεν |
| | -878 | -0τε | $-\alpha \tau \varepsilon$ |
| | -εσαν | $-o\sigma\alpha\nu$ | $-\alpha\sigma\alpha\nu$ |
| | | | |

Indicat. Aor. 2.

Subjunctive.

S.
$$\vartheta - \tilde{\omega}$$
 H. $-\epsilon i \omega$ $\delta - \tilde{\omega}$ $\varsigma - \tilde{\omega}$ $-\tilde{\eta} s$ $-\epsilon i \eta s$ $-\tilde{\omega} s$ $-\tilde{\omega} s$ $-\tilde{\eta} s$ H. $-\dot{\eta} \eta s$ $-\tilde{\eta} s$ $-\epsilon i \eta$ $-\tilde{\omega} t$ H. $-\dot{\omega} \eta \sigma \iota - \tilde{\omega} \sigma \iota - \dot{\omega} \eta$ $-\tilde{\eta} \eta$ $-\dot{\eta} \eta$ [$\mu \epsilon \nu$ D. $-\tilde{\omega} \mu \epsilon \nu - \epsilon i \omega \mu \epsilon \nu$ &c. $-\tilde{\omega} \mu \epsilon \nu - \epsilon i \omega \mu \epsilon \nu$ &c. $-\tilde{\omega} \mu \epsilon \nu - \epsilon i \omega \mu \epsilon \nu - \epsilon i \omega \mu \epsilon \nu$ 3 Pl. $-\tilde{\omega} \sigma \iota$ 3 Pl. $-\tilde{\omega} \sigma \iota$ 3 Pl. $-\tilde{\omega} \sigma \iota$

Optative.

 ϑ -είην &c. 1. -εῖμεν δ -οίην &c. 1. -οῖμεν ς -αίην &c. 3. -εῖτε 2. -οῖτε

3 Pl. -είησαν 3. -είεν 3 Pl. -οίησαν 3. -οίεν 3 Pl.-αίησαν Η.-αίεν

Imperative.

Infinitive.

 ϑ -είναι Η.-έμεναι -έμεν ϑ -ῦναι Η.-όμεναι -όμεν ς -ῆναι Η.-ήμεναι

Participle.

9 -Eis

8 -005

5 - 65

§ 40. Paradigm of the Passive.

Indicative Pras.

| S. 71 | θ -εμαι | δίδ -ομαι | 75 -apai |
|-------|------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------|
| | -E1141 | -υπαι | - ασαι |
| | -81 CC L | -01at | -0100 |
| D. | - 6418000 | -6μεθον | - αμεθον |
| | -8000v | -0000v | -ασθον |
| P. | -έμεθα Ηέ | μεσθα -ύμεθα | -ausda |
| | - ह छ छ ह | -0008 | -ασθε |
| | - 8 v t oct | $-ov\tau\alpha\iota$ | -artai |
| | -εσθον -έμεθα Ηέ -εσθε | -οσθον μεσθα -όμεθα -οσθε | -ασθον -άμεθα -ασθε |

Subjunctive.

| S. 71 | a -what | διδ -ιημαι | 15 - ωμαι |
|-------|---|------------|-----------------------------------|
| | - 1 | -0 | $-\tilde{\eta}$ |
| | $-\eta \iota \alpha \iota$ | -(0) (0) | $-\eta \tau \alpha \iota$ |
| D. | -mue dov | -whettor | -wuedov |
| | -notion | -wordor | -7,000 |
| P. | -ώμεθα | -ώμεθα | -wusta |
| | $-\tilde{\eta}\sigma\vartheta\varepsilon$ | -00088 | -ที่สหะ |
| | -wvtat | -0,000 | $-\tilde{\omega}v\tau\alpha\iota$ |

Optative.

| S. TI | θ -είμην | διδ -οίμην | is -alunv |
|-------|-----------|------------|------------|
| | -810 | -vio | -año |
| | -Eiro | -oiro | -airo |
| D. | -simetrov | -oinerov | -alue tov |
| | -810000 | -oinfor | - เลืองของ |
| | -είσθην | -oladriv | -aiothyr |
| P. | -είμεθα | -0iμεθα | -wineda |
| | -ะเัดปิะ | -01008 | -aioite |
| | -21770 | -01220 | -01710 |

Imperative.

Infinitive.

Participle.

$$\tau \iota \vartheta - \dot{\epsilon} \mu \epsilon \nu \sigma \varsigma H. - \dot{\eta} \mu \epsilon \nu \sigma \varsigma \qquad \delta \iota \vartheta - \dot{\sigma} \mu \epsilon \nu \sigma \varsigma \qquad \dot{\iota} \varsigma - \dot{\sigma} \mu \epsilon \nu \sigma \varsigma$$

Indicative Imperf.

Indicat. Aor. 2.

S.
$$\dot{\epsilon}\theta$$
 $-\dot{\epsilon}\mu\eta\nu$ $\dot{\epsilon}\delta$ $-\dot{\phi}\mu\eta\nu$ $-\epsilon\sigma\sigma$ $(\sigma\upsilon)$ $-\sigma\sigma\sigma$ $(\sigma\upsilon)$ $-\tau\tau\sigma$
D. $-\dot{\epsilon}\mu\epsilon\theta\sigma\nu$ $-\dot{\phi}\mu\epsilon\theta\sigma\nu$ $-\dot{\epsilon}\sigma\theta\sigma\nu$ $-\dot{\sigma}\theta\sigma\nu$ $-\dot{\sigma}\theta\eta\nu$ $-\dot{\sigma}\theta\eta\nu$ P. $-\dot{\epsilon}\mu\epsilon\theta\alpha$ $-\dot{\phi}\mu\epsilon\theta\alpha$ $-\sigma\theta\epsilon$ $-\sigma\theta\epsilon$ $-\sigma\tau\sigma$

Subjunctive.

Optative.

9 - siunv &c. 3 Pl. - sivro 8 - oiunv &c. 3 Pl. - oirro

5-aiunv &c. 3 Pl -airro

Imperative.

$$\vartheta = -i\sigma \theta - \hat{e} \text{ H. } -\epsilon \theta = -i\sigma \theta \omega \text{ &c.}$$

 $\delta - \dot{\phi} \sigma \sigma = -\tilde{\varepsilon}$ $-\dot{\phi} \sigma \theta \omega &c.$

Infinit. and Particip.

2 - Eggas

δ -ύσθαι

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δ -όμειο:

SMALLER PARADIGMS

FROM HOMER.

§ 11. Declensions and Pronouns.

The Paradigms of the Declensions are intended to exhibit the forms of Nouns in Homer, although the forms of the particular Nouns here employed may not be found, some of which are evidently inconsistent with the measure of the verse; e.g. arene aringger.

aiguntie a S. run aigut, tem an m THUTS 740 aiyunin run 190 THEIT aiyun,Ti,v aigunta 10111 aiyunta D. TIMO aiguntair THAIR αίγμηταί P. unai rincor for aiyun taar tw: aigunginge 115 Thurst ng mis" rinas aigurtas

^{*} θεαίς Od. 5. 119 άκταις II. 12, 284

II.

| S. | ἄνεμος | Fo | rms of vi | ός added fr | om the Gr. § | 185. [Tr.] |
|---|---------------|---------|-----------|-----------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|
| | ανέμου οιο | oqiv | | Sin | g. | |
| | ανέμω οφιν | , | N. vió | S | | |
| | ανεμον οφιι | , | G. vio | \tilde{v} $v \tilde{t} q$ | s vié | os |
| | άνεμε ος | | D. | vio | vië | i ບ <i>ໂຣ</i> ເ |
| D. | άνέμω | | Ac. vió | v vio | e vié | cc |
| | ανέμοιν οϊι | , | | Du | al. | |
| Ρ. | ανεμοι | | N. Ac. | บใช | | |
| | ανέμων | | | ∘Plu | r. | |
| | ανέμοισι οι | ς οφιν | N. | vĩs | s vie | ียร บโยโร |
| | ανέμους | · · | G. vio | ν | υίε | ων |
| | | | D. vio | เ ื้อเ ง บูเ | 46 <i>t</i> | |
| | | | Ac vio | vs vie | es vis | έας |
| | | | V. | $v\bar{t}\epsilon$ | g vie | ii g |
| | | | | | | |
| | | | 11 | I. | | |
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| | λέοντος | | τείχεος | ευσφι εσφι | | 809 nos |
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Αc. ἐμέ με σέ σε ἕ ἔ ἕ ἔε μιν

Dual.

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.§ 42. Eini sum, Root & -w.

Those forms only of the following verbs, which occur in Homer, are exhibited.

Pras. Indicat.

Sing, 1. εἰμί 2, εἰς ἐσσί 3. ἐστί. Dual 3, ἐστόν. Plur, 1. εκμέν 2. ἐστέ 3 εἰσί ἔασι.

Subjunctive.

Sing. 1. εω είω in μετείω II. 23. 27. 2. είης 3. έησι ήσι εή ευ. Plur. 3. εωσι ώσι

Optative.

Sing. 1. εἴην 2. εἴης ἔοις 3. εἴη ἔοι. Plur. 2. εἶτε 3. εἶεν.
Imperative.

Sing, 2, ἔσσ for ἔσσο Od. 3, 200. 3, ἔστω. Plur. 2, ἔςε 3, ἔςων.

Infinitive and Participle. ἔμεναι ἔμμεναι ἔμεν ἔμμεν εῖναι —— ἐών ὤν

Imperfect.

Future Indicat.

Sing, 1. ἔσομαι ἔσσομαι 2. ἔσεαι ἔση ἔσσεαι 3. ἔσε<mark>ται ἔσται</mark> ἔσσεται ἐσσεῖται. Dual 3. ἔσεσθον. Plur, 1. ἐσόμεσθα ἐσσόμεθα 2. ἔσεσθε 3. ἔσονται ἔσσονται.

Infinit. and Particip.

ξσεσθαι

έσσεσθαι

έσσόμενος

§ 43. qημί Root φά -ω.

Præs. Indicat.

Sing. 1. *qημί* 2. *qή*ς 3. *qησί*. Plur. 1. *qαμέν* 2. *qατέ* 3. *qασί*Optative.

Sing. 1. qαίην 2. qαίης 3. qαίη. Plur. 1. qαῖμεν
Infinit. αάναι Particip. αάς

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Imperfect.

Sing. 1. ἔφην φῆν ἔφασκον 2. ἔφης ἔφησθα φῆς φῆσθα ἔφασκες 3. ἔφη φῆ ἔφασκε. Plur. 1. φάμεν 2. φάτε 3. ἔφασαν ἔφαν φάσαν φάν.

Some forms in the Mid.

Imperf, Sing. 1. ἐφάμην φάμην 2. φάο 3. ἔφατο φάτο Plur. 2. φάσθε 3. ἔφαντο φάντο.

Imperat. Sing. 2. φάο 3. φάσθω. Plur. 2. φάσθε.

Particip. φάμενος. Infinit. φάσθαι

§ 44. είμι εο, Roots έ-ω ί-ω εί-ω.

Pras. Indicat.

Sing. 1. elui 2. eloba 3. eloi. Plur. 1. iuev 2. iie 3. iaoi.

Subjunctive.

Sing. 1. τω 2. τησθα 3. τησε τη. Plur. 1. τομεν τωμεν 3. τωσε. Optat. Sing. 3. τοι ετη. Imperat. Sing. 2. τοι. 9. τεν. Infinit. τμεναι τμεν ιέναι. Particip. ιών.

Imperf.

Sing. 1. """ in "" its its 3. "" it if it if it the last sometimes considered as a Plusqpf. Dual 3. "" it if it Plur. 1. "" iouer 3. "" iou "" iou" iour "" iour".

Some Pass. or Mid. forms.

Præs. Indicat. 3 Plur. ἴενται, Imperat. ἴεσθε. Particip. ἰέμενος. Fut. M. Sing. 1. εἴσομαι 3. εἴσεται. Aor. 1. Μ. εἴσατο ἐείσατο. Dual 3. ἐεισάσθην. Particip. εἰσάμενος ἐπιεισαμένη 11. 21. 424.

§ 45. Elou quat from the root & -w.

Indicat. Aor. Sing. 3. είσεν είσε. Plur. 3. είσαν Μ. 3 Sing. είσσατο.

Imperat. Sing. 2. 2700v M. 29200at Od. 15, 277.

Infinit. ἐφέσσαι Od. 13, 274. Particip. ἔσας Μ. ἐφεσσάμενος Od. 16, 443.

Perf. Pass. Sing. 1. $\tilde{\eta}_{\mu\mu}$ 2. $\tilde{\eta}_{\sigma}$ 3. $\tilde{\eta}_{\sigma}$ 7 Plur. 1. $\tilde{\eta}_{\mu}$ 80 2. $\tilde{\eta}_{\sigma}$ 3. $\tilde{\epsilon}$ 4 arai $\tilde{\eta}_{\sigma}$ 4 arai $\tilde{\epsilon}$ 4 arai.

Imperat. Sing. 2. ήσο. Infin. ήσθαι. Particip. ήμενος.

Plusqpf. Sing. 1. ημην 2. ήστο. Dual 3. ησθην. Plur. 1. ημεθα 3. εατο είατο ήντο.

GREEK LANGUAGE AND ITS DIALECTS.

EXTRACTED FROM

BUTTMANN'S AUSFUEHRLICHE GRAMMATIK

p. 1—9.

1. The Greek Language (φωνη ἐλληνική) anciently was not confined to Greece, but was spread abroad over a considerable portion of Asia Minor, southern Italy, Sicily, and other regions where Greek colonies were established. Like all other languages, the Greek had its different dialects, (διάλεκτοι), all of which however may be reduced to two, the Doric (η δοφική, δοφίς) and the Ionic (η ἰωνική, ἰάς,) spoken originally by the two principal Greek tribes, the Dorians and the Ionians.

2. The Doric tribe was the largest, and the parent of the greatest number of colonies. Thus the Doric dialect prevailed in the whole interior of Greece, in Italy, and in Sicily. Its sounds were harsh, and owing to the frequent recurrence of the long α, made an impression on the ear which the Greeks denominated πλωτει-ασμός (broad pronunciation.) As a whole it attained to a less degree of cultivation than the lonic. The Æolic (ἡ αἰολική, αἰολίς) was a branch of the Doric, and in the Æolic colonies in Asia Minor, and in the neighbouring islands, (Lesbos, &c.,) attained at an early age to a considerable degree of refinement, which however was probably confined to poetry.

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3. The principal residence of the Ionic tribe in the earliest times was Attica. From this region they sent forth their colonies to the shores of Asia Minor. As these colonies, earlier than the mother country, and indeed earlier than all the other Greeks, were in many respects cultivated and refined, the terms Ionians, Ionic, were used by way of eminence to denote them and their dialect, and finally were exclusively appropriated to them. The original Ionians in Attica were now called Attics, Athenians. The lonic dialect, owing to the multiplicity of vowels, is the softest of all. The Attic (n arran, ardis), which was cultivated at a later period, soon surpassed them all; avoiding, by Attic skill and dexterity, both the Doric roughness and the lonic effeminacy. Although Attica was the mother country, the lonic, even of those Asiatic colonies, is nevertheless regarded as the parent of the Attic, because the lonic was cultivated at a period, when it had departed the least from the dialect of their common parent, the old lonic.

Note t. The dexterity displayed by the Attics in the management of their dialect is most obvious in its syntax. Here the Attic dialect is distinguished, not only from the other dialects, but also from every other language, by an apposite brevity, by bringing together, with great effect, the principal points of interest, and by a moderation in asserting and judging, which passed from the polite tone of society into the language itself.

Note 2. Another circumstance which renders the Attic dialect so attractive, and which has been noticed by few, is its regard for peculiarity of idiom, and the love which the Athenians cherished for this and for distinct national characteristics in general. However advantageous for the understanding, and congenial to the sense of beauty, a language may be, which proposes for itself a correct logic, pursues a fixed and consistent analogy, and employs pleasing sounds, all these advantages are nevertheless lifeless and inefficient without the above mentioned charm. This consists in the sacrifice of fundamental laws, especially of logic and of general analogy, to peculiar forms or idioms, which have their origin purtly in certain characteristics of the nation, and partly, beyond a doubt, in an apprehension of the fundamental rules not entirely conformed to that of the schools. In this manner anomalies had found their way into the Attic dialect, as is the case in all languages, in regard to which however the cultivated writers were not disposed to make a change, out of regard for antiquity and for the ears of the people accustomed to such forms and expressions, and, as we have already observed, from their love of that peculiarity of idiom which gives to their dialect an individual and distinct existence. When irregularities or anomalies mingle themselves with the daily idioms and expressions in other languages, it is regarded as an indication of inaccuracy and want of skill; in the Attics however, who are so skilful and dexterous, it is regarded rather as an unwillingness to make the correction. They felt that by rejecting these anomalies they would deprive the language of the impress of a natural production, which every language really is, and would give it the appearance of a work of art, which a language never can be. Obviously therefore we cannot here be supposed to speak of intentional anomalies, by means of which a language receives the appearance of a mere plaything or toy, however ready the ancient Grammarians frequently were to advance such a mode of explanation.

Note 3. Other branches of the above mentioned dialects, as the Baotian, Laconian, Thessalian, &c. are known only from single words and forms, from scattered records, from inscriptions, &c.

- 4. We must admit an ancient primitive Greek language as the common parent of all the dialects. Of this primitive language we can obtain, or more properly speaking, suppose, certain forms, only by means of philological research under the guidance of philosophy. Every dialect has retained naturally more or less of this primitive language, and every one must also yet retain many forms, which in the others have passed into desuetude and been gradually lost. This circumstance sufficiently explains how the Grammarians can speak of Doricisms, Eolicisms, and even Atticisms, in Homer, whose language was the old lonic. In general, it was customary to designate forms and expressions by the name of the dialect in which they most frequently occurred, although not exclusively confined to this dialect. Thus we explain the Doricisms, as they are called, which occur in the Attic writers, and the Attic forms, met with in writers by no means Attic.
- 5. To this same primitive language belong also, for the most part, the forms, &c. usually denominated poetical licenses. It is true indeed the poet contributes largely to the formation of a language. Through his efforts the language first becomes a harmonious, ex-

pressive, and copious whole. But the poet will never assume, without regard to the previously existing materials and analogy of the language, the forms and expressions which he finds necessary. This would be the surest way to displease. The oldest Greek poets made a selection from the various forms then actually in use, according to the exigences of the case. Many of these forms became obsolete in course of time. But the later poets, who had their ancient brethren constantly before their eyes as models, would not submit to be deprived of this treasure. Thus those forms which originally were in actual use, became in reality poetical peculiarities, or, as they are called, licenses. They are therefore, in such a case, with propriety, numbered among the dialects.

Note 1. This however must not be so understood, as if every single word which occurs in the older poets, was once actually used in common life. The right which even the modern poets assume, in the most copious languages, of forming new words, and of moulding anew those already extant, must certainly be conceiled to the ancient poets in those times of poverty. The materials however, and the form, they did not assume of themselves. They were indebted for these to the store-house itself and the analogy of the language. It need scarcely be observed that the liberty of rounding and polishing, to a certain degree, the forms in common use, cannot be denied to those who must necessarily consult euphony, and who are fettered by the rules of metre.

6. In most of the cultivated nations, one of their dialects usually becomes the language of literature and of polished circles. In Greece however, this was not immediately the case. Here there was no considerable cultivation or refinement until the several states, separated by local and political circumstances, assumed an independent existence. Poetry and prose therefore, until about the time of Alexander, were composed in the vernacular dialect of the authors, or in that to which they may have given the preference. Thus were produced lonic, Holic, Doric and Attic poets and prose writers, of whose productions more or less have descended to our times.

Note 5 The great works of art alone, which attracted universal attention, such as epic and dramatic poetry, were here an exception. The original authors of these availed themselves, no doubt, of their vernacular dialect; but, for a later poet to attempt

a mere copy of the same in another dialect, would not only have required an equal degree of invention and talent, but would also have proved to no purpose, since the Greeks of every tribe or nation were already familiar with these forms and tones in this species of composition, and were unable to separate the one from the other. The dialect in which the first master-pieces were written, remained the appropriate dialect of that species. Vid. Text 10. 11.

Note 6. To the lonic dialect belong the most ancient poets, viz. Homer, Hesiod, Theognis, &c. who wrote in that apparently mixed dialect which approaches the nearest to the most ancient language of Greece, and which afterwards remained the poetical dialect in most kinds of poetical composition. The proper, but younger lonic is found in the prose writers, among whom Herodotus and Hippocrates were the most eminent, although both were native Dorians. For the lonic dialect, on account of its peculiar softness and early cultivation, had already been extensively circulated, and employed both in poetry and prose, especially in Asia Minor.

Note 7. Lyric poets are met with in all the dialects. The most ancient and most celebrated, however, were Æolians. At the head of these stood Sappho and Alcœus, of whose compositions, only a few fragmentary remains have escaped the ravages of time. Anacreon, of whom also are only a few, in part mutilated and in part doubtful, remains, wrote in the Ionic. Most of the remaining Lyric poets composed in the Doric, creating for themselves, at pleasure, every one his own language, from the various forms of this widely extended dialect. Pindar is the only one of these last of whom any thing entire has reached us.

Note 8. But few prose writings in the Doric dialet are extant, and those principally of a mathematical and philosophical nature. For the Attic writers see the following notes.

7. In the mean time Athens had arisen to such political importance as to assert a kind of supremacy in Greece, and was at the same time the focus of all scientfic culture. Their unmixed democracy secured to the exercise of eloquence and to the dramatic exhibitions, that freedom which, in connexion with other advantages, elevated to the highest pitch, not those branches alone of literature, but the other kindred pursuits also of history and phi-

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losophy, and gave to the Attic dialect a perfection and a copiousness which no other dialect attained.

Note 9. The principal prose writers (of the poets we shall speak presently) of this golden age of Attic literature, are Thucydides, Xenophon, Plato, Isocrates, Demosthenes, and the other Orators.

- 8. Greeks of every tribe and nation resorted now to Athens to receive instruction. In the most extended and cultivated fields of literature, the Attic master pieces were proposed as models. In consequence of this, as soon as Greece became politically one under the Macedonian monarchy, the Attic dialect became, in a short time, the language of the court and of literature. The prose writers of all Greece now composed almost exclusively in this dialect. From this time it was taught in the schools, and the Grammarians decided, from these models, what was pure Attic and what was not. The central point of this later Greek literature, was established under the Ptolemies at Alexandria in Egypt.
- 9. The Attic dialect, at the same time that it was enjoying an universal reception, began, as we might expect, gradually to lose its original purity. Authors either mingled with the pure Attic many peculiarities of their vernacular dialect, or exchanged many Attic anomalies and apparently laboured expressions, for the more natural and regular forms. In some cases, a simple Attic form, which in common life had become more or less antiquated, was abandoned, and a form then in use introduced, e. g. vnyeodas for veir, approtor for apper. The Grammarians, frequently with excessive pedantry, endeavoured to prevent this manfest decline. For objectionable, or at least, less elegant forms and expressions, they proposed others drawn from the older Attic writers. Hence it became customary to comprehend, under the term Attic, only what had been preserved from those classic Attics, and what in the strictest sense was peculiar to them. The language however, formed in the manner above described from the Attic, and in use in cultivated society, was now denominated xourn the common, or Ellyrixy the Greek or common Greek. Even the later authors themselves were now called of xorrol or of Ellipses, in distinction from the genuine Attics. We must guard however against the notion, that this xoury dialextos was a peculiar and distinct dialect.

It remained always essentially Attic, and every grammar of the common Greek aimed principally to present the Attic dialect.

Note 10. We can readily conceive that under such circumstances, the terms xolvos, xolvov became even reproachful; and although it denoted properly what was then common to all the Greeks, the Athenians themselves not excepted, it was employed by the Grammarians to designate what was not pure Attic. Every form however, which is called Attic, is not for this reason exclusively Attic, not even those in use among the Athenians themselves. Many genuine Attic forms were not received even in Athens to the exclusion of others, with which they were frequently interchanged in common use, e. g φιλοίη with φιλοί, ξύν with σύν. Certain Ionic forms also had never become strange to the Attic ear, e.g. uncontracted in place of the contracted forms, of which the writers, who always consulted the ear, could avail themselves at pleasure. This approximation to the lonic furnishes the principal test of the older Attic, taken in its stricter sense, to which for instance Thucydides belongs, as Demosthenes to the more modern Attic, which forms the transition to the later or zouvil.

Note 11. To give an accurate and apposite classification, we should commence the later Attics or zorrovs with the first, who were not Athenians, who nevertheless wrote in the Attic dialect, and class with these the later writers who were really Athenians. To this class then belong Aristotle, Theophrastus, Apollodorus, Polybius, Diodorus, Plutarch, and the other later authors, among whom however, many, as for instance Lucian, Ælian, and Arrian, endeavoured to adopt, as far as possible, the genuine ancient Attic.

Note 12. The Macedonian dialect must be especially regarded among those which were in various degrees incorporated with the later Greek. The Macedonian nation was allied to the Greeks, and numbered itself with the Dorians. They introduced, as conquerors, the Greek cultivation and refinement among the conquered barbarians. Here also, the Greek was spoken and written, not however without some peculiarities of form, which the Grammarians denominate Macedonian. As Egypt and its capital city Alexandria became the principal seat of the later Greek culture, these forms were comprehended under the name of the Alexandrian dialect. The natives also of these conquered countries, began to speak the Greek (ξλληνίζειν), and such an Asiatic Greek was de-

nominated ἐλληνιστής. Hence the style of the writers of this class, with which were incorporated many forms not Greek and many oriental turns of expression, was denominated Helenistic. It need scarcely be observed that this dialect is contained in the Jewish and Christian monuments of those times, especially in the Septuagint and in the new Testament, whence it passed more or less into the works of the Fathers. New barbarisms of every kind were introduced during the middle ages, when Constantinople, the ancient Byzantium, became the seat of the Greek Empire, and the center of literary cultivation. Out of this arose the dialect of the Byzantine writers, and finally, the yet living language of the modern Greeks.

Note 13. To avoid all misunderstanding, we must here observe, that the ancient Grammarians, and many of the moderns who followed in their steps, employ the names of the dialects in general, as well as the term zouvov, without any regard to their true historical sense. This is especially the case, when they endeavour to explain etymologically and grammatically the forms and the various inflexions of words. Thus they denominate the simple or natural Greek form, or what they deem to be such, xourn; every other form, derived from this by means of any changes, in whatever tribe or nation it may be found, or even if it be now for the first time assumed, they designate by the name of the dialect in which such changes usually take place. Every contraction, for instance, is denominated Attic; every change of a into n, lonic; &c. The gen. nollog from nollig is called common (xourne, although this form properly speaking was never in general use; πόλεος, Ionic, because the Ionians frequently introduced & for other vowels; noleus however, Attic, because the forms in -ws are so familiar to the Attics. Whereas, in truth, regarding the matter historically, noleos belongs to the lonic and Doric, noleos to the poets alone, and nolsews to the Attics and to all those who used the common dialect. Thus, according to them, a form must pass from some simpler one through several intermediate forms, each of which is referred to some dialect, although frequently no one of them was ever really in use.

10. As to the general adoption of the Attic dialect, an exception must be made in respect to certain species of poetry. The Attics were models only in the Drama. As dramatic poetry, from the circumstances of the case, can only be the language of common life ennobled or elevated, the Attic dialect alone was of course admitted on the Athenian stage. It was afterwards adopted and retained by every theatre in Greece. The dramatic poets, in the dialogue, especially that consisting of Trimeters or Senarii, besides the free use of apostrophe and contraction, availed themselves of but few of the so named poetical licenses and changes.

Note 14. The comic writers, as might naturally be supposed, availed themselves of these licenses and changes the least of all; on the contrary, to the Senarius of tragedy, many Homeric forms were always well adapted. Besides, in the dramatic department, only genuine and ancient Attics have been preserved, viz. the tragedians Æschylus, Sophocles, Euripides, and the comic writer Aristophanes.

11. In the other departments of poetry, especially those in which the Hexameter measure prevailed, viz. the epic, didactic, elegiac, Homer and the other ancient Ionic poets, who were read in the schools, continued always to be the models, and in this species of composition the old Ionic or Homeric language, with most of its peculiarities and antiquated forms, was still preserved. This dialect therefore, like the Attic in prose compositions, was appropriated to poetry of this class, in the Alexandrian and later ages. It was no longer understood by the unlettered, but required, in order to comprehend and enjoy it perfectly, a learned education. We may with propriety comprise all the forms, &c. connected with this species of poetry, under the name of the Epic Language, for they were all originally derived from the epic poetry.

Note 15. The most celebrated poets belonging to this class are Apollonius, Callimachus, Aratus, and in later times, Oppian, Quintus, &c.

12. The Doric dialect also was not excluded from the poetry of the later ages. It was met with in smaller pieces, especially in pastorals and sportive poems. This was in part owing to the earlier compositions of this kind in the Doric dialect which served as models, and in part to the circumstance, that the rustic idiom and the language of the lower conditions of society were essential to such compositions. This idiom and language, however, owing to the extent of the Doric tribe, was almost every where the Doric.

Note 16. The ldylls of Theocritus, Moschus and Bion, are composed in the Doric. This more modern Doric differs however very much from the dialect of Pindar. The ancient Epigrams were sometimes lonic and sometimes Doric. Here however the Doric was more simple and noble, and confined itself to a small number of characteristic forms, which were familiar to the cultivated poet of every tribe.

13. We have yet to observe that the language which prevails in the Lyric portion of the drama, i. e. the chorus and in the most pathetic addresses, has usually been styled Doric. But the Doricisms consist here in little more than the predominance of the long α , especially for η , which was a characteristic of the older language, and owing to its dignity was retained in the more elevated and affecting pieces, while in common life it remained peculiar to the Doric.* In the other respects this lyric dialect approximated to the abovementioned Epic language.

* Vid. § 2. In these chorusses, however, genuine and peculiar Doricisms cannot be found, e. g. Infin. in -εν and -ην, Accuss. Plur. in ως and -ος, &c.







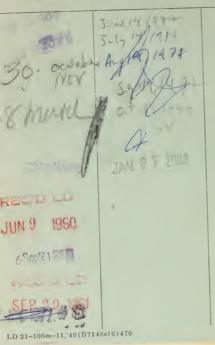




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